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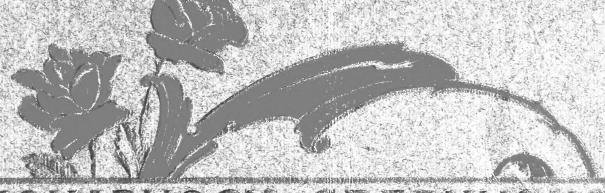
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# Nineteen hundred & three Greeting to our friends and patrons



T is with pleasure that we issue this our Thirty-first Annual Catalogue. The past year has been a prosperous one for nearly everyone, including those in horticultural and agricultural pursuits. The outlook for the present year is very promising, and we take this occasion to wish our friends and patrons a prosperous season. We have noticed with satisfaction the increasing interest taken in beautifying homes and

surroundings by means of plants, vines, shrubs and flowers. We are always glad to furnish any information desired, bearing on this subject. Our interest does not cease with the sale of plants and seeds; we are anxious to have them do well after reaching their destination. That we have been very successful in this, is evidenced by the numbers of entirely unsolicited testimonials scattered through the catalogue. We might publish many more if we had room, but these are sufficient to show the sentiment of our customers. We wish all our customers to report promptly any cause for complaint, and we will gladly do all in our power to make everything perfectly satisfactory. Our stock of plants is in a healthy, thrifty condition this season, and we probably send out larger plants by mail than any other concern. Our method of packing is expensive, but it places our plants in the hands of customers in the freshest possible condition, which justifies the extra expense.

Plants by Express. Although our method of packing plants by mail is very successful, yet we would recommend them sent by express where practicable, as then we can send still larger plants, and we have always made a practice of adding enough extra plants to cover the extra expense. All our plants are carried by the express companies at a twenty per cent reduction from regular merchandise rates.

Flower Seeds. We would call particular attention to our magnificent strains of flower seeds. These are the product of years of care and selection, and we feel safe in saying that few seeds equal and none are better than those which we offer.

Vegetable Seeds. Certain lines of vegetable seeds are scarce this year, so that early orders are advisable, as indications are that of many kinds there will be a shortage.

In conclusion we wish to say that it is our constant endeavor to give complete satisfaction, and we especially solicit a trial order from those who have never bought our plants and seeds, and we are very sure we shall hear from them again.

Very truly,

February 1, 1903,

L. P. BUTLER & CO.

### AGENDSWANTED

We have annually expended a large sum in newspaper and magazine advertising for the purpose of obtaining new customers. This year, however, we have decided on a new departure and have concluded to distribute a portion of this sum amongst those of our customers who will aid us in this work of obtaining new customers.

We have issued a special premium list describing many fine premiums which we shall award to those who will help us. These are not the cheap articles usually found in such lists, for following out our usual policy everything is of the best quality, as we believe the best is none too good for our patrons. This premium list and full particulars will be sent free upon application and we earnestly hope that a large number of our customers will take advantage of our liberal inducements.

# Descriptive List of Plants.

#### BARGAIN IN SUPERB CLEMATIS.

We are extremely fortunate this year in being able to offer a collection of four superb large flowering Clematis at a ridiculous low price. This collection is composed one each, of the following varieties as follows, viz:

Jackmanni. This is the best known variety. Color, dark, rich, royal purple, a perfect mass of bloom when in flower.

Mad. Baron Veillard. This is a unique shade in the Clematis, being a pretty lavender pink, a fine contrast to the higher colored sorts.

Henryi. This grand sort is very hardy and a vigorous grower. Blooms are of magnificent form and pure white in color.

Mad. Edouard Andre. A valuable new variety of a distinct new color, which is a bright crimson, the prettiest, clearest shade imaginable.

The above magnificent collection we offer at the extremely low price of 60 cts. postpaid. Our stock is small, hence early orders are advisable. It is very seldom we are in a position to sell these beautiful Clematis at so low a price.

Price of any variety separate, 25 &s. each. We can furnish extra strong field roots of above four varieties of Clematis at 50 &s. each. These must be sent by express as they are much too large for mailing.

#### BABY CHRYSANTHEMUM.

This is the smallest Pompone Chrysanthemum in cultivation and has attracted much attention, not only on account of its diminutive size, but also on account of the perfect manner in which the flowers are formed. They rarely measure over half an inch in diameter, the plant being completely covered with the profusion of bloom.

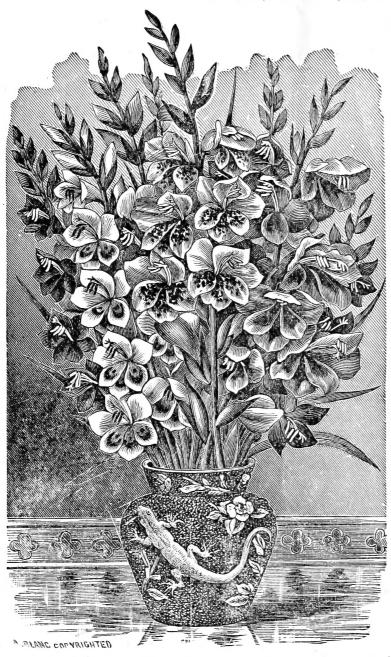
EDOUARD

Flowers are of a clear lemon yellow, with closely quilled petals. A very "taking" novelty.

Price 15 &s.

Please notice the number of unsolicited testimonials scattered through the pages of catalogue. We might print many more, if we had room. If we give satisfaction to others, why not to you? Our motto: "A satisfied customer is our best advertisement," explains why we are able to please our customers.

#### SUPERB GLADIOLI.



Groff's Gold Medal. These are the choicest new creations of Mr. Groff, comprising magnificent white, light and yellow shades of the purest colors obtainable, dazzling shades of Red, Scarlet, Crimson, Pink and Cerise, and including rare tints of Blue, Lilac, Heliotrope and Clematis never before offered. These are the height of perfection yet attained in coloring and size of Gladiolii. No such were ever offered before. Price 20 &ts. each; \$2.25 per doz.

Groff's Selected Blue Hybrids. These are rare blue shades, no such ever having been offered before elsewhere in the world, comprising beautiful clear shades of Clematis, Lilac and Heliotrope, Very fine.

Price 25 cts. each.

Groff's Mixed Hybrids. These are the first introductions of Mr. Groff and while not equal to the "Gold Medal Collection" still comprise a wide range of coloring, different from anything seen before in coloring, including lilac and blue tints, marvelously brilliant, stained

and blotched varieties; size and coloring, fine. Price 5 &s. each; 45 &s. per doz.

Burbank's California Select. This is a selection of some of the fine new Gladiolii seedlings of Luther Burbank, the "Wizard of Horticulture." Comprises mostly light and variegated types.

Price 4 &ts. each; 40 &ts. per doz.

Childsii. We have an extra fine strain of these giant flowered varieties, our mixture being made up of over seventy-five varieties. This strain is characterized by extra large flowers and showy colorings. Price 5 &s. each; 40 &s. per doz.

Lemoineii. The best and most popular mixture of this highly colored strain ever offered. An extra fine range of varieties. Price 4 cts. each; 35 cts. per doz.

Fine Mixed. Contains a large number of varieties. Price 25 &ts. per doz.

#### BEAUTIFUL ZANZIBAR BALSAM.

Impatiens Platypetala Alba. Our sales of the Impatiens plant has always been very large, but we, this year, have the pleasure of offering a fine new distinct variety. The flowers are larger than the old kinds, the color being a pure snow white, with a crimson spot like a drop of blood in the center. Always in bloom and a fine grower. Be sure and try[this fine novelty.

Price 15 &ts.

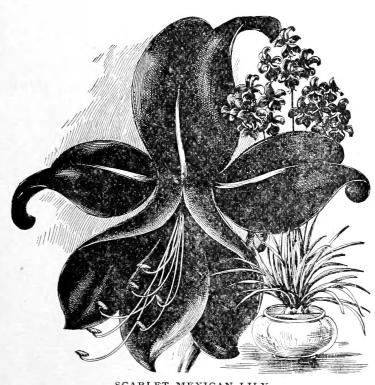
#### THE BEAUTIFUL SHASTA DAISY.

This valuable new introduction is one of the most marvelous yet obtained by means of systematic hybridization. was originated by Luther Burbank, "The Wizard of Horticulture," and is one of his greatest triumphs. It is extremely hardy, blooming better and more abundantly each season as it grows older. The flowers are extremely large and graceful, averaging about four inches in diameter, with petals of glistening snowy whiteness, borne on long, stiff wiry stems. blooms, when cut, remain fresh and in good condition for two weeks or more. This grand variety should not be confounded with the common field Daisy, as there is no comparison. Our cut shows the comparative size



of this magnificent new "Shasta Daisy" and the common Daisy. As will be easily seen the latter (at the left of cut) is dwarfed into utter insignificance. This grand flower is destined to wide-spread popularity, being as it is of such easy culture, marvelously free blooming and giving such beautiful decorative effects. Price 15 cts.BTE

#### GORGEOUS SCARLET MEXICAN LILY.



SCARLET MEXICAN LILY.

Sprekelia Formosissima. The superb brilliancy of the flowers of this Lily can scarcely be described in words. They are of a dark velvety scarlet, shading to maroon and having a satiny white stripe in the center of each petal. The form is exceedingly graceful, and they must be seen to appreciate their gorgeous beauty. The flowers are borne on long stems, and if two or three bulbs are planted together will make a fine display. They may be planted in sand and pebbles covered with water, like the "Sacred Lily," or may be grown in good rich soil. Everyone should try at least two or three of these, and they will be astonished at the magnificent display. Price 15 cts.; 3 for 40 cts.

#### BULBS AND BULBOUS PLANTS.

RARE, CURIOUS AND COMMON.

Chlidanthus Fragrans. A variety very rarely seen. Rich, pure yellow in color, powerfully fragrant and a most abundant bloomer. Very easily grown. This fine variety should be more generally grown. Price 10 &ts. each; 3 for 25 &ts.

Urceolina Pedula (Drooping Urn Flower). A very rare South American bulb having long, broad, glossy leaves and very curious drooping flowers. Culture is easy, being the same as for the Amaryllis. A rare, curious flower and one seldom seen. Our stock of this rare plant is limited.

Price 50 &ts.

Amaryllis Vitata Hybrida. These new varieties are very beautiful, being variously striped, flaked and feathered. Our strain is very fine, being grown in California where they have been highly developed. Price 20 &ts. each; 3 for 50 &ts.



petal distinctly bordered white.

Lilium Auratum. This handsome Lily now so well known is undoubtedly one of the finest of the entire Lily family. Perfectly hardy, exquisitely colored and of fine fragrance, the flowers increasing in number and size as the bulb grows older, all these qualities combined make it deservedly the Lily for everyone. The large handsome flowers are of a delicate ivory-white thickly dotted and studded with crimson and banded a golden yellow through the center of each of the six petals. Everyone should plant this.

Price 15 &ts. each.

Crinum Kirki ("The Milk and Wine Lily"). Grand! This is the only word that can fully describe this magnificent variety. The flowers are of surpassing beauty, and usually two flower stalks are sent up at the same time, each bearing a large cluster of twelve or more mammoth lily-like flowers of the richest fragrance. The color is white with a deep reddish purple stripe running through the center. Blooms quite freely.

Price, large bulbs, 35 &s. each.

Lilium Speciosum Melpomeme. This grand variety has elegant flowers of a rich blood crimson in color, heavily spotted with deeper red, each

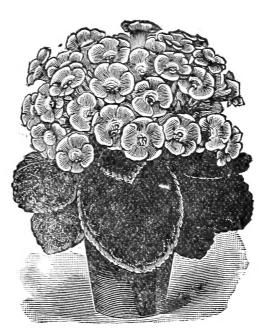
Price 20 cts.

Caladium, Fancy Leaf. These have become very popular of late years, not only as splendid pot plants, but they may be planted out after the ground is well warmed, provided they are sheltered from strong winds and given plenty of water. We have them in a great variety of fancy colors, some being marbled and spotted, others being veined and striped with bright colors in many fanciful ways. For exhibition plants for the conservatory or window garden they are fine.

Price 20 &s. each; 3 for 50 &s.

Tuberose, Excelsior Pearl. This is the best double Tuberose in cultivation, grows about eighteen inches high, blooms early, and bears immense spikes of large pure white, perfectly double fancy caladium. flowers. They are among the sweetest and most beautiful flowers grown. Do not plant before ground is warm, as they cannot bear much cold. Plant three inches deep and six inches apart. Price, 3 &ts. each; 30 &ts. per doz.; largest selected bulbs, 5 &ts. each; 50 &ts. per doz., postpaid.

Gloxinia, Crassifolia Erecta. Easily grown, and blooms constantly until autumn, when they should be allowed to die down, and the pots kept dry in some warm place until spring, when the bulbs can be started into growth again. Any good soil will grow them, but will do best in compost of one-half good loam, balance equal parts old manure and leaf mould. In potting, allow top of bulb to stand just above the soil—water but little until growth commences. Our bulbs this season are fine and large, and in a mixture of the grandest colors; all in the "Crassifolia" varieties, which is the strongest growing strain known, being characterized by short, shapely foliage, over which the flowers hold themselves very erectly. Price, in colors, red, white, blue and spotted, large bulbs, 20 cts., the four for 75 cts; fine mixed, strong bulbs, 15 As., four for 50 As.

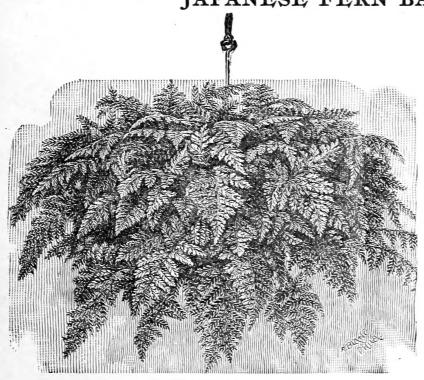


GLOXINIA CRASSIFOLIA.

Caladium, Giant Flowered New Century. A magnificent new plant introduced from Central America. It produces enormous leaves which measure from three to five feet long and two to two and one-half feet broad, these being of a thick leathery texture, the veins being sunken, thus giving the whole surface of the leaf a rich quilted appearance. These leaves are held on stout stiff stems well above the ground, and have a bright metallic lustre, glistening in the sun as if burnished. Added to the foliage effect are the mammoth lily-like blossoms, twelve to fifteen inches long, snowwhite changing to cream and with a rich, powerful, exquisite fragrance. These blooms are produced very freely throughout the summer. An unrivalled combination of tropical foliage and giant flowers. Price 15 &s.; extra large plants, 35 &s.

Caladium Esculentum (Elephant's Ear). This is the variety used so much for tropical effect. Foliage immense in size. Price 20 &ts. each.

#### JAPANESE FERN BALL.



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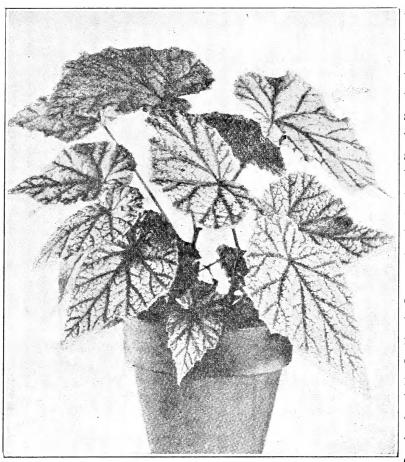
Mikado Fern. A splendid novelty imported from Japan. They are splendid ornaments and may be hung in the window, and require only occasional dippings in a pail of water to keep them in a growing condition. When first received, they should be dipped in water for about ten minutes every two days until growth starts. They may be allowed to dry up and rest for awhile and may again be started into life by the same process as before. When growing they should be watered two or three times each week. Price,

large size, 75 cts. by express; \$1.00 each by mail; smaller size, 50 cts. each by express; 65 cts. by mail.

#### BEGONIAS.

Coral (new). This is an extremely free flowering new variety. Has a glossy, green foliage and is at all times covered with a profusion of the magnificent coral red blossoms. One of the freest bloomers on our whole list.

Price 15 &s.



MD. LIONNET.

7.1. Md. Lionnet. This exceedingly fine variety while not new is yet very rare and known by but few. The ground color of the leaf is a rosy bronze, distinctly overlaid and dotted with a silvery metallic sheen, the entire surface being covered with a crimson pile. Exceedingly brilliant in color, and one of the most distinctive varieties which we have. Flowers are bright pink. Our stock of this is limited. Price 25 cts.

Otto Hacker. A magnificent variety. Plant a strong, vigorous grower, of stiff, upright habit, with large, shining, deep green leaves, eight to ten inches long. The flowers are borne in immense pendant clusters eight to ten inches across, twelve to twenty-five large flowers in a cluster. Color a beautiful coral red. Price 20 cts.

Mme. Leboncy. This Rex sort is very rich and lustrous in its coloring, to which it is almost impossible to do justice by mere description. The young leaves are red-dish metallic hued, studded with irregular silvery spots, the older leaves becoming a darker silver shade, shaded steel and dark green, the entire leaf shaded red and burnished like tinsel. A variety which always attracts attention. Price 25 &s.

Glory of Lorraine. One of the greatest novelties in Begonias. The plant presents a mass of floral loveliness for nearly the whole year—blooming autumn, winter and spring—a perfect bouquet of clear pink flowers. This easily leads as the finest flowering sort known—plants have sold at Christmas time in the large cities, at from \$2.00 to \$8.00 each. Nothing as a winter blooming plant equals it in profusion of flowers.

Price 25 &ts.

NOTE—Owing to the impossibility of propagating this variety until late in the season, we cannot ship vigorous plants until after June 1. Orders may be sent with other plants, and "Glory of Lorraine" will be forwarded soon after June 1.

Marquis de Peralta (new). Leaves rather small and short stemmed, but exquisitely beautiful. Color of leaves a dark velvety olive green, with a wide, broken band of silver around the center, and a margin of dark green brightened with silver spots, which look as though embossed. Very handsome and distinct. Price 25 &ts.

Maple Leaf. The name indicates shape of leaf, which is quite large and of a pure, light, solid green, thick in texture, and surface very glossy. This makes an elegant house plant, and easily makes a fine large specimen. Price 20 &s.

Indianapolis (Rex). A fine new sort of the whorl Rex type, with magnificent foliage of clear silver, with touches of green and red at center and edge of leaf, a splendid grower; much stronger than any other sort of this class. Price 25 &ts.

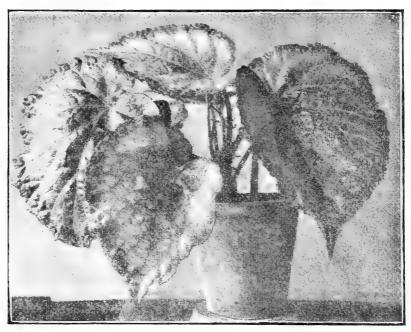
Erfordia. A splendid new Begonia. Grows in symmetrical, compact form, with shining green, crinkled foliage. Will stand the strong sun as well as "Vernon," and is one mass of bloom from June till frost, and is equally as good for pot culture, being at all times covered with the deep, rosy-pink flowers. Price 10 cts.

Zebrina. A lovely dark green foliage, beautifully striped with silver. An upright, compact grower. A most unique and beautiful variety. Price 15 cts.

Riciniflora. A magnificent decorative plant; leaves of immense size and similar in form to "Ricinus." Flowers in very large panicles on flower stalks two to three and one-half feet high; light pink. Price 20 cts.

Inimitable (Rex). This handsome new variety is a very strong, vigorous grower, one of the most vigorous on our list. Add to this its great beauty and it should become exceedingly popular. Leaves are silvery green, finely covered with short pink hairs and a silvery pink sheen which gives them a most charming appearance. At a little disiance the color varies when seen in different positions like changeable silk. Should be in all collections. Price 20 cts.

Countess Louise Erdody. The leaf, which has a metallic lustre, appears dark silvery in



INIMITABLE.

the center, shading into coppery rose toward the margin, which is broadly and evenly edged with the same hue, but darker and more brilliant. The veins are yellowish green on both sides. The striking peculiarity, however, which distinguishes it from all other Begonias, is that the two lobes at the base of the leaf do not grow side by side, but one of them winds in a spiral-like way until in a full grown leaf there are four of these twists lying on the top of the leaf nearly two inches high. Price 15 cts.



BERTHA MCGREGOR.

varieties; flowers pink.

Bertha McGregor. One of the most beautiful fancy Begonias. A cross between the Rex and flowering section, showing a combination of coloring and great freedom of growth, together with fine habit, which will make it of great value to both amateur and florist. It grows readily under ordinary treatment. Leaf six by nine inches, long pointed and with six deep notches, producing foliage in abundance; the center of leaf is small, dark and palm shaped; the body of leaf being solid silver, outlined with bronze; elegant. Price 25 cts.

Richmond Beauty. A beautiful Hybrid Rex. Leaf has a dark green center, surrounded by a band of bright silver, the edge of leaf being green, dotted with silver. Price 15 cts.

Pond Lily. Named on account of resemblance of leaf to that of the Pond Lily; fine foliage; one of the best winter blooming Price 15 cts.

Ruth Findley (Rex). Small, star-shaped center, surrounded by a broader zone of lighter green. Leaf is margined with a touch of satiny pink with olive green markings. Price 20 cts.

Bronze Queen (Rex). A splendid variety with leaves of a handsome, uniform, chocolate green color, the upper sides of which are thickly sprinkled with tiny, silver dots which glitter in the sun like tinsel.

Price 20 cts.

Lord Palmerston. This handsome variety has large, upright growing leaves, with a dark green center, which is surrounded by a broad zone of light silvery green. The whole of the two outer zones being very thickly frosted with small dots of silver. A most handsome variety.

Price 20 cts.

Clementina. A cross between Rex and "Diadema." The color of the stem and upper surface of the leaf is a beautiful bronze green, ornamented with large silver spots, arranged parallel with the ribs of the leaf; the under side is a bronzy-red, producing a beautiful effect.

Price 20 cts.

Silver Queen. One of the finest of Rex Begonias. The entire leaf is a light silvery color, veined green; flowers white, shaded pink.

Price 15 cts.

Argentea Guttata. This variety has purple-bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings, and is in every way a most beautiful Begonia. Its produces white flowers in bunches on ends of growth stems. A very popular variety.

Price 10 &s.



DOUBLE TUBEROUS BEGONIAS.

Louise Closson. One of the richest and most beautiful of the Rex family, with large and very bright foliage. The coloring is magnificent; center of leaf deep bronze with broad band of silvery rose; edged bronze, spotted rose.

Price 25 cts.

Queen Victoria (Rex). Solid silver leaf of crepe-like texture, red veins, and fluted edge; a strong grower.

Price 20 cts.

Incarnata. A splendid winter flowering plant. About the Christmas holidays this is covered with one mass, from top to bottom, with bright pink flowers, looking like a huge bouquet. The Christmas flowering plant for everyone. Price 10 cts.

Begonia, Tuberous-Rooted. These Begonias are very beautiful, and unsurpassed for bedding or pot culture. The plants present a striking appearance, being covered with magnificent showy flowers. The bulbs or tubers can be easily grown, requiring like Gloxinias, light, loamy soil and a somewhat shaded situation. After blooming all summer, the bulbs, if in beds, should be taken up in November, dried off like Gladiolus, and packed in a box of coarse sand placed in a dry place, secure from cold. If in pots, they can be gradually dried off in November by withholding water; when well dried out, put the

pots containing bulbs in a dry warm place, until spring, when the roots should be shaken out and repotted, We can furnish the following colors: red, white, pink and yellow in either double or single flowering. We have a magnificent strain of these, the flowers being simply enormous and greatly admired by all our visitors. Price, strong bulbs, single, 15 &ts. each; double, 20 &ts. each.

Rubra. A fine acquisition to our window flowering plants. The leaves are of the darkest green; color of flowers, scarlet-rose, glossy and wax-like.

Price 10 cts.

Queen of Hanover. Leaf of a soft velvety texture, covered with red pile, center and edge of soft green velvet, the zone formed by small silver dots.

Price 25 cts.

Sanguinea. Leaves dark, glossy olive-green, under side deep red, flowers white. A handsome upright growing variety.

Price 15 &s.

Speculata. Quite a novelty in Rex type. Leaves are in the form of a grape leaf. Color, a bright green, with background of chocolate; veins of light pea green, the whole leaf spotted with silver. In bloom it is magnificent, the panicles composed of great numbers of individual pink blooms. Price 15 cts.

Metallica. A variety with a peculiar metallic-like lustre, and charming rose-colored flowers; very worthy variety, combining both beauty of leaf and flower in same plant.

Price 10 to 25 cts.

Thurstonii. Bright red foliage and veinings underneath the leaves, and bright metallic green, shading to red in the younger growth on top, with the deep veinings; the flowers are a beautiful deep pink in bud, but when expanded become a beautiful shell-pink.

Price 15 cts.

Boule de Neige, Double Semperfloren. Strong habit, light green, vigorous foliage; blooms large and full, pure white, occasionally lightly tinted with pink.

Price 10 &ts.

Triomphe de Lorraine, Double Semperfloren. Compact, dwarf habit, deep green foliage, a very profuse bloomer. Flowers quite double, petals nicely imbricated, color of the buds and flowers when opening a bright scarlet, changing to a cherry carmine.

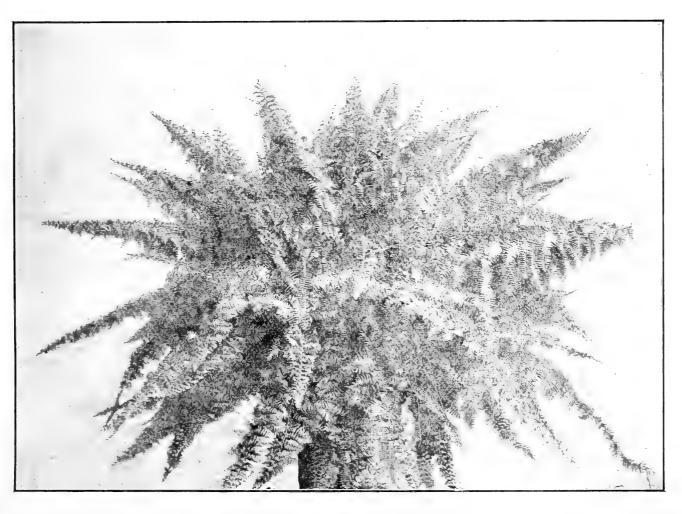
Price 10 cts.

Gloire de Montet, Double Semperstoren. Very free blooms, bright green foliage, compact habit; flowers very double, opening bright carmine, changing to a clear pink at the center of the flower.

Price 10 cts.

#### FERNS.

The popularity and demand for fine Ferns has increased wonderfully in past few years, and they are now indispensable; they delight in light sandy loam, mixed with leaf mould, and with good drainage, for while they thrive in a moist soil, stagnant or sour earth is fatal to success. We have endeavored to grow in the greatest variety of foliage the best sorts for the amateur, also, unequaled for the florist. The small plants can go by mail, but larger sizes should be ordered sent by express.



NEPHROLEPIS PIERSONI.

Nephrolepis Piersoni. This superb variety is the most notable decorative fern introduced in many years. Our cut, from a photograph of a plant, gives a very good idea of the feathery plume-like fronds, although one has to see a plant in growth to appreciate its beauty. The fronds grow broad and heavy, increasing in beauty as they develop, the pinnæ of the frond subdividing, making perfect minature fronds the whole length of the main frond. The minature fronds keep growing constantly; showing two distinct shades of green, the tips being a light green, while the center and main part of the fronds show a dark rich shade, the contrast producing a very beautiful effect. On account of the weight of the foliage, the plant assumes a very graceful appearance, making much more symmetrical and beautiful plants than the popular Boston Fern. It is as free growing and hardy as the Boston Fern, and for beauty and gracefulness the Boston Fern cannot begin to compare with it. It is positively the most graceful and beautiful decorative fern introduced for years. It was awarded a gold medal by both the Massachusetts Horticultural Society and the New York Horticultural Society, a rare distinction, as these are the highest honors which can be bestowed on any Horticultural novelty in America, and never before secured by any other new plant. Price \$1.25 each.

Nephrolepis Davallioides, Fish Tail Fern. Entirely distinct from the other Sword Ferns. Fronds are long and broad, beautiful dark green, the ends of the pinnæ of the fronds being beautifully curled and crested. Distinct and unique.

Price 20 cts.

Adiantum Charlottae. A very dainty, airy, new Fern of the Maiden Hair family. Very beautiful and graceful. Fronds are quite hardy for so delicate an appearing Fern. Price 20 cts.



PTERIS ARGYREA.

Pteris Argyrea. A strong growing variety and very useful for all purposes. Quite large foliage, with broad white band through the center of each frond. Highly ornamental and easily grown. Price 20 cts.

Adiantum Cuneatum. The most popular of all the Maiden Hair varieties. Fronds delicate and graceful; a distinct, lovely variety.

Price 15 cts. and 25 cts.

Adiantum Pubescens. A pretty, graceful Fern, the stems of the fronds being covered with a brown pubescense, which gives it a soft, downy appearance.

Price 15 cts.

Pteris A diantoides. Fine Fern with glossy green leaves, especially good for Fern dishes. Price 15 cts.

Pteris Cretica Albo Lineata.

A very pretty, low growing variety, with green and white variegated fronds.

Price 15 cts.

Pteris Tremula or Shaking Fern. One of the finest Ferns for

house decoration, growing very rapidly and throwing up large handsome fronds. It makes magnificent specimens, filling a large pot in a short time. Easily grown and very popular.

Price 15 cts.

Pteris Victoria. A most beautiful variegated variety. The foliage is neatly divided, the sterile fronds being much wider than fertile ones, thus giving the whole plant a most distinctive appearance. Fronds are of a rich green color, with beautiful silvery white variegation. Our cut which is an excellent one, gives a very good idea of this beautiful variety.

Price 15 &s.

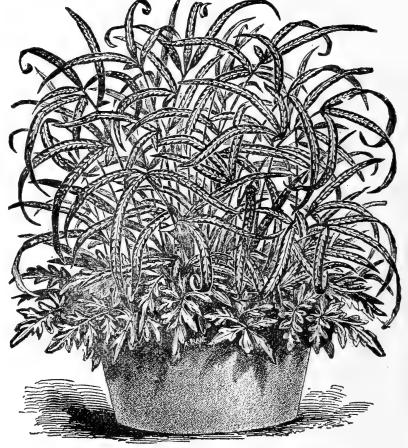
Lace Fern, Polystichum Proliferum. One of the finest of Ferns for house culture. A very strong grower with long graceful fronds of a delicate appearance, keeping for a long time when cut and used with cut flowers. If grown in partially shaded place will be found a most pleasing house plant. Everyone is very enthusiastic over this Fern.

Price 15 and 30 cts.

Japanese Climbing Fern, Lygodium Scandens. A very beautiful Fern, producing a graceful, slender vine which will climb quite a distance in a short time. Has a light green, airy foliage and is quite a unique variety.

Price 10 cts.

Polystichum Coreaceum. A low growing sort, forming a dense mass of light green foliage; extra



PTERIS VICTORIA.

good for Fern pans and Fern cases. When cut, the fronds of this sort have wonderful keeping qualities. Easily grown and fine for cutting. One of our most useful Ferns.

Price 15 &s.

Nephrolepis Cordata Compacta. A beautiful strong growing Fern of compact habit. Fronds are of a very rich dark green color and gracefully arching. An extra fine house Fern. A fine companion for the "Boston Fern."

Price 15, 30 and 50 cts.

Boston Sword Fern, Nephrolepis Exaltata Bostoniensis. In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is used so extensively as the graceful Nephrolepis, which differs from the ordinary Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of four feet. These arch and droop over very gracefully, on account of which it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit makes it an excellent Fern to grow as a single specimen on a table or pedestal.

Price 20, 35, 50 and 75 cts.

Cyrtomium Falcatum. Quite a new Fern from Japan, of low ornamental growth, fronds of great substance, thick and leathery, keeping well on plant or when cut. This variety is now very popular and in great demand at Christmas in sections of country where known, it being called the Holly Fern, from resemblance of foliage on mature fronds to that of Holly.

Price 15 cts. and 30 cts.

Aspidium Tsussimense. A low growing Fern with dark green, graceful foliage. One of the most valuable Ferns of recent introduction, its glossy green foliage making a fine contrast for use in Fern pans.

Price 15 cts.

Microlepia Hirta Cristata. One of the finest Ferns

BOSTON SWORD FERN.

in cultivation to grow into specimen plants, and while it has such a delicate, graceful appearance as would lead one to think it useless as a house Fern, yet it is one of the best for this purpose. Price 15 cts.

Selaginella Emiliana. A most beautiful and distinct species of bold but very graceful habit, growing from five to eight inches high, and of the most delicate formation. Excellent as a pot plant, also, very nice for Fern cases. We place this in our list of Ferns as its treatment is similar. Price 15 cts.

**Polypodium Aureum.** A grand large growing sort, making a fine specimen in short time. Very noticeable on account of foliage, which is very large and of a distinct bluish color. Price 20 cts.

Pteris Serrulata Cristata, A very fine growing house Fern. The long fingered fronds soon making a beautiful ruffled, crested growth, one of the most graceful varieties in our list. Price 15 cts.

Adiantum Gracillimum. One of the finest foliaged and most graceful of all the Maiden Hairs. A very delicate, airy Fern.

Price 15 cts.

Adiantum Bellum. A pretty dwarf densely crested "Maiden Hair" Fern. Price 15 cts.

Pteris Serrulata Voluta. One of the most distinct varieties, the volute or curled appearance of

the pinnæ being very noticeable. The tips of pinnæ are beautifully crested. Price 15 cts.

\*\*Lastrea Aristata Variegata.\*\* A beautiful yellow and green variegated variety. Price 15 cts.

#### PALMS AND ORNAMENTAL PLANTS.



KENTIA

Dracæna Indivisa, Dragon Tree. One of the most desirable of our ornamental foliage plants for decoration, either in or out doors. Its fine foliage renders it very useful for the window garden, planted as a center piece in a rustic stand, jardiniere, or window box, or for summer decoration in vases and ornamental beds; also especially well adapted for centers of vases and baskets.

Price 20 &ts. and 40 &ts.

Phrynium Variegatum. Leaves bright pale green, beautifully variegated with white and gold. No two leaves are variegated exactly alike, the markings being extremely diversified. It is very free growing and one of the most ornamental plants imaginable. As a bedding plant, it is simply elegant, making a specimen which for ornamental foliage has no equal. Also fine as a pot plant.

Price 15 cts.

Acalypha Tricolor. A beautiful plant, with large highly colored leaves; bright red with blotches of crimson-bronze. Extremely showy and quite easily grown either in pots or bedding. Its ornamental foliage in baskets, vases or beds is greatly admired.

Price 15 &ts.

Anthericum Vitatum, Folia Variegata. A beautiful plant with recurved graceful foliage, which attains a growth of about three feet. The leaves are dark green, beautifully marked with broad strips and bands of creamy white color. Fine for

edgings, borders, or for ornamental foliage plants.

Price 15 cts. and 30 cts.

Kentia. These are one of the most easily grown and satisfactory of the Palm family. They are very hardy and are not easily affected by changes in temperature, and its stiff, glossy leaves enable it to stand the dry hot air of the living room without injury. It is very graceful, and justly a very popular variety.

Price 35 cts., 75 cts., \$1.25 and upwards, according to size.

Ficus Elastica, India Rubber Tree. One of the best plants for table or parlor decoration; its thick, leathery leaves enable it to stand excessive heat and dryness, while its deep glossy green color always presents a cheerful aspect. The plants we offer are in fine condition.

Price \$1.00 and \$1.50 each.



COCOS WEDDELIANA.

Cocos Weddeliana. This is a dainty, graceful small growing Palm, making a perfect miniature Palm of exquisite form. Splendidly adapted for the center of jardinieres and fern dishes.

Price 35 cts. and 75 cts.

Latania Barbonica. A splendid hardy, strong growing Palm, whose quick growth and ability to stand the sun adapts it for outdoor decorative purposes, for verandas, vases, etc., as well as for house decoration. A Palm which will prove most satisfactory in every respect. This is also called "Fan Palm." Price 30 cts., 75 cts. and \$1.25.

Phœnix Reclinata. Of robust growth and graceful habit. A Palm which will thrive under more adverse circumstances than any other; especially desirable for vases, as it will stand hot sun, and is also very desirable for indoor decoration.

Price 30 cts. and 75 cts.

Araucaria Excelsa, Norfolk Island Pine. As a decorative plant this is one of the handsomest and most serviceable. Its deep green, feathery foliage arranged in whorls, rising one above the other at regular distances, forms a plant of rare grace and beauty. This is also called the "Monkey Puzzle Tree." These cannot be sent by mail.

Price \$1.00 each.

Dracena Godseffiana. Bears but little resemblance to ordinary Dracenas. Foliage is bright green,

deeply polished, heavily spotted and splashed with creamy white or light yellow. Grows in a compact bushy form, throwing out wiry stems covered with the thick glossy leaves. A very distinct and remarkable decorative plant.

Price 35 cts.

Dracæna Terminalis. A very handsome decorative variety, with rich crimson foliage, prettily marked with pink and white. Easily grown.

Prize 25 cts.

Livistona Rotundifolia. One of the prettiest of Palms, especially suited for table decoration. Does not grow tall, but makes a bushy, globular plant. Foliage is gracefully recurved. Price 35 cts.

#### ASTER PLANTS (Pot Grown).

Every year we sell large quantities of this popular flower to those who do not care to bother with seed. Our plants are all grown in pots and from the choicest seed, and are large, thrifty plants, not to be compared to the small plants with small roots sold so cheaply by some parties. Ready for shipment after April 15th. For full description of each sort see Seed Department.

Purity. Pure, glistening white.

Price 40 cts. per doz.

Daybreak. Shell pink, fine.

Price 40 cts. per doz.

Giant Comet. White, pink, blue, mixed.

Price, each color, 40 cts. per doz.

Mary Semple. Pale pink; Lavender Queen, pale lavender; Semple's White, or Mixed.

Price, each sort, 50 cts. per doz.

Truffant's Perfection. Bright Pink, Purple, Pure White, Glowing Crimson or Mixed.

Price, either sort, 40 cts. per doz.

Fancy. In many colors and kinds.

Price 40 cts. per doz.

Mignon. Pure white and mixed.

Price 40 cts. per doz.

Ostrich Plume. Beautiful, new, "fluffy" Aster, White or Pink.

Price 40 cts. per doz.

#### HELIOTROPE.

**Prince Charmant** (new). A fine new variety with a pleasing foliage, extremely free in bloom; color, a lovely tint of bluish mauve. It is dwarf and compact in growth with immense panicles of bloom.

A fine acquisition.

Price 10 cts.

Le Poitevine (new). Enormous florets compose the very large truss of bloom. Color, mauve violet and azure with shadings of rose; a robust semi-dwarf grower and very free and continuous in bloom.

Price 10 cts.

La Duse (new). This new Heliotrope has a very pretty foliage. The habit also is unique as the stiff stems are quite uniform in height and support enormous trusses of bloom, semi-globular in shape, making a great spread of color which is blue, shading to lavender, the odor being exquisite. This grand variety was a very noticeable sort in the field, growing and blooming persistently. Price 10 cts.

White Lady. The nearest approach to pure white yet in the Heliotrope; truss very large, growth compact; a decided acquisition. An improvement on "Snow Wreath." Price 10 cts.; larger, 20 cts.

Color, fine dark violet; one of the best Mrs. Burgess. dark sorts, in fact one of the best of all Heliotropes. Good for pots; fine for bedding in open ground, and extra good for cutting; odor exquisite, and it produces flowers in abundance. We have had on trial many varieties of Heliotrope, but we pronounce this one of the best, either for pots, bedding or cut Price 10 cts.; larger, 20 cts.

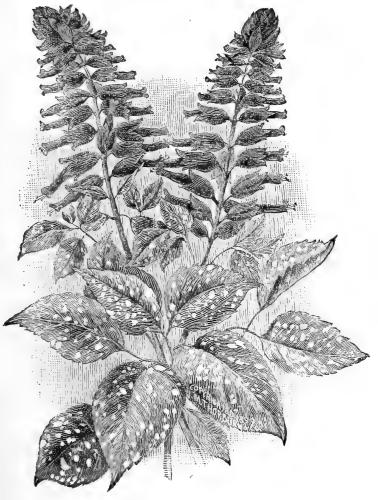
Albert Deleaux. Foliage green and light golden yellow. The contrast with lavender flowers being greatly

#### VELVET PLANT.

Velvet Plant, Gynura Aurantiaca, seems a very appropriate name for this beautiful plant. The leaves and stems are entirely covered with purple down, which gives the whole plant a very rich velvety appearance. Any change of position seems to alter the color of the foliage, which is always taken to be artificial by most people, until closely examined, so rich is its color. Growing in a compact bushy form, it makes a splendid pot plant. Very easily grown. Price 15 cts.

GYNURA AURANTIACA.

#### SALVIA SPLENDENS.



SALVA SPLENDENS SILVERSPOT.

standard later varieties. Grown in masses it is magnificent.

Cloth of Gold. Has a beautiful golden color with bright scarlet flowers. Fine for contrast in Price, any of above varieties 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 12 for 75 cts.

#### (Scarlet Sage.)

Little Lord Fauntleroy (new.) This is a splendid new introduction. On account of its tall growth, the Salvia heretofore has not been available for bedding in many combinations where its brilliant color would render it most effective. But this new variety grows only eighteen inches high from the ground to the tips of the flower spikes, while the foliage rises no more than 10 inches from the ground, the eight-inch flower spikes standing erect and clear above the handsome dark green leaves. The plant is very compact and bushy, and the number, size and brilliancy surpass anything ever seen before in Salvias. Nothing could be more striking than this fine new Salvia either in beds or in masses.

Silverspot. This handsome variety is neat and compact in growth, with rich dark-green leaves elegantly spotted with light sulphur or cream color. The intense bright scarlet flowers are large and borne in great profusion, standing well above the foliage. The unique and elegant foliage gives the whole plant a most charming appearance. Price, plants 10 &s. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 12 for 75 cts.

Chretien. This is the earliest variety yet produced, beginning to bloom early in July. Has grand panicles of bloom, and its size, bright scarlet color, and earliness will probably cause it to supplant the older

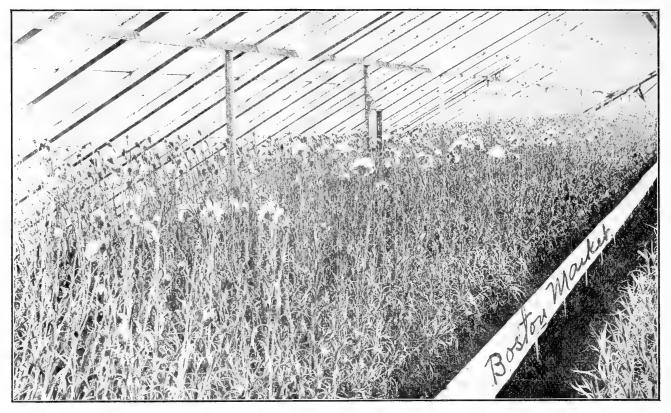
Price 10 cts each; 3 for 25 cts.

If you want a brilliant display in your garden this year, try a few plants of any of the above.

#### CARNATIONS.

Boston Market (new). This new variety is the freest blooming white variety to date. Flower is of fine size, of splendid substance with a strong stem. It is an unusually early bloomer, and flowers continuously until late in the season. Our cut gives a good idea of its exceptionally free blooming qualities, and its long, strong stems. This is a variety we can strongly recommend.

Price 20 &ts.



A HOUSE OF BOSTON MARKET CARNATIONS.

Enchantress, "The Queen of Carnations." This is truly a queen amongst Carnations on account of its immense size, magnificent color, fine, strong stem, and early, free and continuous blooming habit. It was raised by the originator of the celebrated "Mrs. Lawson" Carnation, and he considers it as far ahead of "Lawson" as that variety was ahead of all other varieties at the time of its introduction. The color is magnificent, a beautiful shade of light silvery pink, deepening toward the center, a "Daybreak" color, but far superior to "Daybreak" at its best. The flower is enormous, three and one-half to four inches in diameter, when fully developed measuring four inches. The enormous blooms are borne on stiff stems two or three feet in length, which hold the flowers perfectly erect. It does not burst its calyx, is an early and continuous bloomer, very healthy and vigorous and an ideal grower. It needs no special culture to develop its magnificent blooms, producing quite as freely as any Carnation grown. Don't fail to try this superb variety.

Price 30 &s.

Lillian Pond. This is claimed by the originator to be the largest white Carnation ever offered to the trade. The flower is perfectly round, petals nicely fringed, with a well built up center, very fragrant, with a strong calyx, and a strong and wiry stem. A strong, healthy, rapid grower, blooming early, continuously, and in great profusion. A very promising variety.

Price 25 &s.

Harry Fenn. Color of this new Carnation is a magnificent crimson, just the Harvard shade. Grand, large, symmetrical blooms, borne on extra long, stiff, wiry stems. Grows very erect, with a vigorous, healthy foliage.

Price 15 cts.

Viola Allen. This new Carnation is a clear porcelain white in color, delicately edged and splashed with pure, clear rose pink. Blooms very full, rich and fragrant, borne on superb stems. A very free bloomer.

Price 15 cts.

**Novelty.** This new fancy Carnation is very large and finely formed. Ground color, lemon-yellow, distinctly edged with deep pink; body of petal being richly marked with ray stripes of the same color, making one of the most striking color combinations among all fancy Carnations. It has attracted marked attention wherever shown.

Price 15 &ts.

**Dorothy.** This is one of the most prolific bloomers of its color introduced for some time. Color is bright pink, petals nicely fringed, and blooms large size. As a keeper it has no equal, keeping in good condition for a long time. This and its extreme proliferousness will make this new Pink exceedingly popular.

Price 10 cts.

**Prosperity.** The color is entirely distinct from that of any other variety. The ground color is white, overlaid with pink in mottles, deepening to the center, reminding one of the beautiful tints seen in Azaleas and Rhododendrons. The beautiful flowers are borne on long, stiff, wiry stems. The calyx of the flower is almost ideal, scarcely ever bursting, and its keeping qualities are unequaled. Price 10 cts.

Gov. Roosevelt. Color, a deep rich brilliant scarlet, heavily shaded with maroon. A vigorous healthy grower, with a long, stiff stem, holding the flower very erect. The form of the flower is as near perfect as any Carnation yet produced, being very full to the center, the large number of petals being perfectly and regularly arranged, so as to make a high rounded form.

Price 10 cts.

Queen Louise. The flowers are of large size, good form and substance and of the purest white. It is a very profuse bloomer, beginning early in the fall and producing the large blooms throughout the entire season.

Price 10 &s.

Morning Glory. A variety slightly darker than the old "Daybreak," yet brighter in color than that variety. A free, continuous bloomer. Flowers fragrant, of fine form, and borne on strong stiff stems.

Price 10 cts.

Mrs. Lawson. The most talked about Carnation ever introduced. It is a strong, vigorous and healthy grower, with grand flowers of enormous size, perfect form, and in color, a beautiful deep pink. This grand variety is now indispensable.

Price 10 &ts.

Marquis. Color is a true light pink, with no trace of purple or magenta. It is an exquisite shade, soft and rich, and possesses a peculiar glow which makes it very attractive. Its form is exceptionally perfect. It is very full and double, and unusually well rounded and built up in the center. Its petals are beautifully serrated and quilled, giving it an unique and very graceful form. Its size is immense, often three to four inches in diameter.

Price 10 cfts.

Ethel Crocker. Flowers with ordinary culture will average three to three and a half inches in diameter; are well formed, with extra heavy petals. Color, the ideal bright pink shade, has the genuine clove fragrance. This variety on account of its healthy foliage, vigor of growth and general good qualities has proved to be one of the best all-round pink commercial Carnations.

Price 10 cts.

Flora Hill. A splendid white variety, because of its easy management. The flower is of large size, and rounded built; wonderfully free in bloom, stems strong enough to support blooms nicely; good calyx; not subject to rust.

Price 10 cts.

Geo. M. Bradt. Color, clear white, heavily edged and striped with bright scarlet, giving it a very bright and cheerful appearance. Flowers large and full, with center petals standing erect, giving the bloom a well-rounded form. Habit strong and vigorous. This variety has proven a most even and constant bloomer from early to late.

Price 15 cts.

Gen. Gomez. A magnificent brilliant cardinal maroon in color, with fine long stems; a strong, vigorous grower. Flower full, well fringed, of pleasing form and of good fragrance. Price 10 cts.

White Cloud. It commences blooming among the earliest, and throws a fine, long stiff stem from the beginning and continues right through the season. Flower large, excellent form and finish, good substance, very full and fragrant.

Price 10 cts.

Gold Nugget. The nearest to a pure, deep yellow of any sort yet introduced. Strong growth, free blooming from early to late; long, strong stems, and large flowers of pleasing form. Price 10 cts.

Fergurson. A new fancy sort; its color being hard to describe, having odd combinations and shades not seen in any other sort, composed of light and dark orange, with splashes of light garnet, and cream, and slight tints of lavender.

Price 10 cts.

Freedom. The white variety where quantity is wanted; one of the freest flowering sorts we have, and of the purest white; stiff stems, requiring but little staking; fine for summer or winter. Price 10 cts.

Glacier. A charming variety, fine for pot culture on account of its dwarf growth. Flowers are of good size, of the purest, snowiest white in color, and a marvellously free bloomer. Price 10 cts.

America. A grand scarlet variety. Flowers of large size, borne on good stems, a splendid grower and free bloomer.

Price 10 cts.

#### ABUTILONS.

**Souv. de Bonn.** The bright green leaves are distinctly edged with a broad, pure white band. The flowers are of golden yellow color, veined with scarlet. Either bedded out or as a pot plant, makes fine specimens in a short time.

Price 10 cts.

Mrs. G. Laing. Immense flowers of bright, rosy pink, of beautiful expanded form; habit good, and free in growth and bloom. Flowers nice for cutting, as the stems are long. Price 10 cts.



Aureole (new.) A very pretty new variety. Color, tender rose with a pure white throat. The plant is at all times covered with the large, handsome flowers.

Price 15 cts.

Eclipse, Leopard Abutilon (new). This splendid new variety is trailing in habit, and is especially fine for baskets, vases, window boxes, etc. The foliage is very attractive, being handsomely marked dark green and beautiful golden yellow. Flowers are bright yellow with a crimson throat.

L'Africain. In contrast we offer this fine new and attractive dark sort. Its color, dark crimson, shading still darker at center; petals very thick and heavy and having a beautiful glossy appearance not found in other varieties.

Price 10 cts.

Savitzii. This unique mapleleaved variety is from Japan. It is a decided improvement upon "Souvenir de Bonn," inasmuch as the variegation is entirely different, the contrast between the green and white is sharper, and the habit of the plant is dwarfer.

It will be of exceptional value for edged sub-tropical beds, also among the best as a pot plant. Price 10 cts.

Boule de Neige. This is one of the best Abutilons yet introduced, with dark green leaves and pure white flowers; it blooms freely, either as a bedding-out plant or pot plant for winter. Price 10 cts.

Golden Fleece, or Golden Bells. A fine Abutilon of strong, vigorous habit and a very free bloomer.

Color, rich golden yellow; flowers of large size. A good winter bloomer.

Price 10 cts.

#### TWO PLANTS INTERESTING TO BIBLE READERS.

Crown of Thorns, Euphorbia Splendens. A curious plant with thick, fleshy, twining stems which are covered with stout, sharp spines nearly an inch long. There is a tradition that this plant furnished the material for the "Crown of Thorns" used in the divine tragedy. The foliage is a bright green and the flowers are a beautiful coral pink.

Price 20 cts.

Rose of Jericho, or Resurrection Plant. This curious plant will live for years without being planted or watered. Having the appearance of a shrunken, rounded ball of tightly coiled up leaflets, and dry and apparently dead, yet when immersed in tepid water one frondlike tip slowly unfolds outward, then another and another, until finally the whole plant has been transformed into a lovely rosette of beautiful velvet green, fern-likemoss, both odd and marvelous. After having been unfolded it can be taken from the water and allowed to curl and dry up again, and may be resurrected time and time again. It should, however, never be placed



CROWN OF THORNS.

in the sun when in water. This interesting plant is mentioned by Isaiah in the Bible.

Price 15 cts.

#### GERANIUMS.

Contesse de Chantemerle (new). A magnificent novelty of the Bruant race. Color is of an exquisite freshness, aurora-salmon, very clear at the center, shading out paler at the edges of the petals. It is a very free bloomer with truss and floret of the grandest size, its wonderful quantity of continuous bloom, as large as a Hydrangea truss, being especially remarkable.

Price 30 &s.

Fleur de Rose (new). A fine new variety of a deep rose color. Form of flower is very perfect and habit fine. An elegant variety for pot culture, ranking in beauty with "Glory of Lorraine" Begonia.

Price 25 &ts.

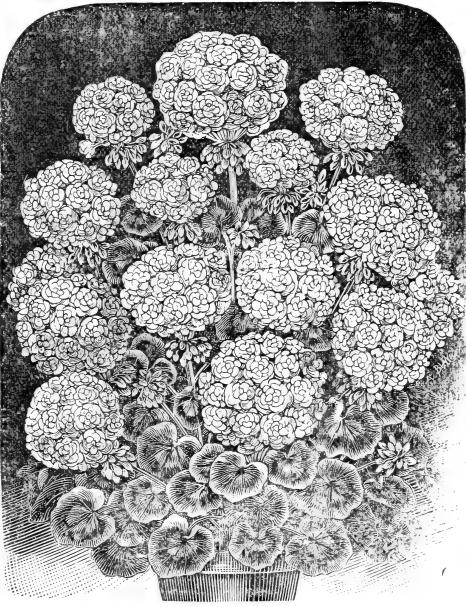
Precurseur (new). This is the first white of the strong, sturdy Bruant race. It is a strong grower, a very free bloomer, having fine trusses of single, white flowers of very large size and spreading form. Promises to lead all other white varieties for bedding. Has all the fine characteristics of the Bruant race. Price 25 &ts.

M. Paul Blondeau (new). A very robust, compact, free growing variety. Very large trusses and flo-(probably rets the largest among double Geraniums), borne on long, stiff stems. The flowers are semidouble, and open very beautifully, the color being a magnificent, pure, fresh, rose color. A splendid acquisition.

Price 25 cts.

Richmond Beauty (new). A very brilliant scarlet-crimson, with large, white feathering on the two upper petals. Colors are very clear and striking, florets being of fine rounded form. Extraordinarily free blooming, being a mass of bloom at all times, and extremely showy.

Price 25 cts.



M. PAUL BLONDEAU.

Jean Rameau (new). A grandly built floret of fine size, semi-double, ground color pure white, suffused with rose and with an edge of deep carmine. This is one of the healthiest and strongest growers amongst the Aureoles.

Price 25 cts.

Louis Français (new). This is a splendid new variety. The flowers are enormous, borne on long, stiff stems well above the foliage, the plant having all the grand points of a perfect "Bruant" Geranium. Color is quitejirresistable, the semi-double flower being of an exquisite pure rose color, tinted salmon. It is a splendid bedder, withstanding the hot sun remarkably well.

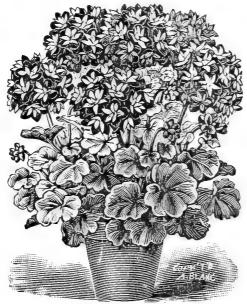
Price 20 cfts.

Tempest. A single variety, dazzling orange, with yellow shadings. Very free in bloom, being at all times covered with flowers. A dwarf, healthy grower and a good bedder.

Price 15 cts.

Jas. Davidson (new). A fine new single, color being a very pretty shade of pink, tinted with lavender. The immense trusses are borne in the greatest profusion on long, rigid stems, well above the healthy, vigorous foliage. Very pretty variety.

Price 15 &s.



DOUBLE NEW LIFE.

**Double New Life.** This remarkable novelty is still scarce. An entirely new departure in every way. The florets are of a brilliant red, and in the center of these appears a pure white floret, reflecting a vivid and startling contrast which it is difficult to realize. Plants dwarf and floriferous. Price 15 cts.

Marquis de Castellane. This is a grand new Geranium of the vigorous Bruant type of growth. It is a shapely, dwarf grower with immense double flowers, about two and one-half inches in diameter. Color is two beautiful shades of red, petals undulating on the edges. Very beautiful and distinct. We recommend this variety highly.

Price 10 cts.

Kleber (double). A very free grower and very free in bloom, with flowers held well above the foliage. Color, a dark violet, of a velvety texture, rich and striking. Form of floret is very fine.

Price 15 &s.

Manteau de Feu (double). One of the grandest of the new introductions; of the richest color imaginable, dazzling velvety scarlet flowers of beautiful rippling form. It is very floriferous, so much so that flowers have to be kept pinched from young plants till they are fully established. Price 10 cts.

Mme. Goyeux. One of the prettiest of the double aureoies, because the colors are so very fresh, bright and clear. Color, light rosy pink with large, white blotch in center of flower; a delicate and beautiful color. A dwarf grower and a very free and vigorous bloomer.

Price 10 cts.

La Fraicheur (double). White, with a narrow band of rosy pink around each petal, exactly like a Picotee. Absolutely novel and distinct, and one of the prettiest flowers we have seen for years; colors delightfully fresh and clear.

Price 10 cts.

\*Jean Viaud. Soft, pure pink; semi-double, with two white blotches. Dwarf, stocky grower, rigid stems, large trusses, perfect florets, a continuous bloomer, the plant being covered with flowers throughout the season; will rank with the best bedders of any color, it has an iron constitution, and withstands the rain and sun remarkably.

Price 10 cts.

\*Clyde. A single scarlet Geraninm of the Bruant type. A sport from "Mrs. E. G. Hill;" in every respect like its parent, except color, which is pure scarlet of soft even shade. Floret is very large, borne in immense trusses fourteen to sixteen inches in circumference. Good bedder and pot plant. Price 15 cts.

Emanuel Arene. Double; one of the best novelties of the day. The floret is large and round, very fine, and of a pure rose color, with immense white eye. Both colors are very clear and pure, and are combined in the most showy way. Every flower lover ought to have this unique novelty. Price 15 cts.

Mme. Rozain. Purest white. Size of floret and truss and freedom all seem perfect. A fine variety.

Price 10 cts.

\* Francis Perkins. This we consider the finest, bright pink bedding Geranium to date for our climate. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower and a prolific bloomer; flowers are perfect in form and are borne well above the foliage on long footstalks; color a clear bright pink. It stands the sun admirably, and for massing there is nothing that equals it in its color. Semi-double.

Price 10 &ts.

Md. Bruant. A single variety wholly distinct from any other in cultivation. White, veined with carmine-lake, florets regularly bordered with bright solferino, the arrangement of color is exquisite, often intermingling and producing a striped effect.

Price 10 cts.

\*John Doyle (double). A vigorous grower, throwing its truss up well above the foliage, of enormous size, and of the richest bright scarlet. It is a phenomenal bloomer.

Price 10 &ts.

\* **Md.** Jaulin. A semi-double Geranium; an entirely distinct color. Very large florets compose a truss of grand size; center of flower very delicate pink, bordered with pure white. Price 10 cts.

Col. Barre. A grand new Geranium of the Bruant type. An entirely new color in this class. Lower petals are rosy pink, upper petals darker and marked scarlet at the base. Both floret and truss are of unusual size and have much the elegance of form of the ivy-leaved section.

Price 10 &ts.

**Dr. Despres.** Large trusses, of very large, round, well-opened flowers of a variable color, sometimes bright violet with vermillion spots on the upper petals, and again bright blood red, brightened with violet spots, making a beautiful contrast. Semi-double.

Price 15 cts.

\* Marvel. A semi-dwarf compact grower, with clean, vigorous, healthy foliage; truss large and full, held well above the foliage; floret a model of size and form; color a dark red. Price 10 cts.

Benj. Schroeder. One of the best fancy single pink Geraniums. A beautiful, clear rose-pink with distinct white eye. Dwarf, compact habit, a most profuse bloomer. Price 10 cts.

Montesquieu. Large semi-double florets of exquisite pale mauve, with white eye. Price 10 cts.

- \* Gen. Grant. One of the best single scarlet varieties for bedding, vases, etc. Price 10 cts.
- \* **Beaute Poitevine.** Very large semi-double florets of beautiful and distinct form, and borne in immense trusses; very free bloomer, and as a bedding variety it has no equal in its color, brilliant salmon, brighter at the edges.

  Price 10 cts.
  - \* S. A. Nutt. A standard double dark red variety.

Price 10 cts.

- \* Heteranthe (Double Gen. Grant). A splendid bedder. The plant redounds in vigor; foliage is strong and striking. Color of the flower is a bright vermillion red. Price 10 cts.
- Jacquerie. Single flowers of a magnificent shade of very dark crimson-scarlet, with unusually large florets of great depth. Very striking.

  Price 10 cts.
- \* Sam Sloan (single). Deep crimson-scarlet; trusses of immense size. Fine for house or pot culture, but its great merit lies in its wonderful blooming qualities when planted out. Price 10 cts.
- \* Alphonse Ricard. Color, bright vermillion-scarlet, habit dwarf, very vigorous, truss very large, measuring from three to six inches in diameter. Large, semi-double floret, sometimes exceeding two inches in diameter. The trusses are on strong footstalks, and so freely produced as to nearly conceal the foliage. It is a constant bloomer from early in the season to late in the fall, almost every joint producing a flower stem. Extra for bedding.

  Price 10 &s.
- \* Mme. Buchner. An exceptionally vigorous grower. Trusses of very large size, borne in great profusion, high above the foliage. Color of the purest white.

  Price 10 cts.

**Daybreak.** An entirely new color in single Geraniums, being a beautiful light flesh, like "Daybreak" Carnations; large trusses and grand foliage. Price 10 cts.

BEDDING GERANIUMS. We have marked with an (\*) the best bedding Geraniums. We can furnish these varieties in quantities at \$1.00 per dozen from 3-inch pots. Prices of larger sizes on application.

#### NEW LILLIPUTIAN GERANIUMS.

These new Geraniums are characterized by dwarf, bushy, compact growth, and extreme floriferousness, being at all times covered with a profusion of blooms, so much so that when plants are small the buds must be kept pinched off to give the plant a chance to establish itself. These make ideal pot plants.

Eben E. Rexford. Has the constitution and vigorous foliage of the Bruant type, a compact and dwarf growth and extreme floriferousness. Flowers are single, and a clear light pink in color, with a white eye. Sunproof, brilliant and astonishingly floriferous.

Price 15 cts.

Little Pink. Nice dwarf habit about six inches high; color bright pink, with a distinct white eye. The first double flowered of this class. One of the nicest, prettiest little Geraniums imaginable. Astonishingly floriferous.

Price 15 &cs.

America. An ideal pot and bedding variety. Plants not one foot high, often having a dozen trusses of bloom at one time. Flowers quite unique, being white with salmon center when first opening, changing to various shades of salmon and rose.

Price 10 cts.

Mars. A very dwarf free bloomer with handsome dark zoned leaf, flowers brilliant salmon pink at center, shading to a white at margin. Flowers produced in great profusion.

Price 10 cts.

One each of above four "Lilliputian Geraniums" for 40 cts, postpaid.

#### FANCY LEAF GERANIUMS.

Silver Leaf Nutt (new). This is unquestionably one of the most striking silver leaved Geraniums thus far originated. Foliage is very handsome, being a light green irregularly edged and notched with white. Add to this that in habit, flower and freedom of bloom, it is an exact counterpart of "S. A Nutt," and we have a remarkable combination of good qualities. The handsome crimson flowers are of good size, freely produced and held well above the foliage.

Price 25 &s.

Mrs. Parker. In this fine variety recently introduced, we have a combined beauty in flowers and foliage not found in any other Geranium. Its leaves are deep green, with a broad margin of white; flowers perfectly double, bright pink. Splendid for house culture.

Price 15 cts.

Freak of Nature. A very unique variety with irregular center of white bordered by a broad band of pale green. The combination of white and green varies in different leaves, giving the plant a very pretty appearence.

Price 15 cts.

Mrs. Pollock (golden tricolor). The ground color is a deep green, with a zone of bronze, crimson and scarlet, with margin of clear yellow. One of the best fancies.

Price 15 cts.

Chieftain. One of the best of the bronze type; foliage light golden, with a rich chocolate zone. Happy Thought. An entirely new style of leaf, having a large yellow blotch in the center of leaf, with an outer band of green. Mountain of Snow. Leaf green, white margin; flowers scarlet. Golden Band. Gold margined; cherry colored flowers. Cloth of Gold. Fine golden foliage. A fine window plant. Snow Storm. Bright green leaf with a very narrow margin of silver. Md. Salleroi. A distinct variety, with leaves from one to two inches in diameter; the center of olive green, with broad

margins of white. Crystal Palace Gem. Golden foliage; center of leaf bright green. One of the very best of the golden varieties; scarlet flowers. Fine for window. Distinction. Leaves are circular, and very dark green, having a narrow band of jet black near the margin; distinct from anything in cultivation.

Price, any of above varieties, 10 &s. each.

#### IVY LEAF GERANIUMS.

Achievement (new). A grand English novelty, being a cross between the Ivy and Zonal class. It has the habit and texture of the Zonal with the form of the Ivy foliage. Color is a pure rose with white eye, immense in size, freely produced on long stems. Should be in every collection.

Price 25 &ts.

Col. Baden-Powell (new). The grandest variety since "Souv. de Chas. Turner," and destined to be as universally popular. The flower is most striking, being of enormous size, the largest amongst Ivies. It is semi-double and of elegant, showy form, the color varying at times from pearl white to soft blush, exquisitely beautiful. A fine grower and free bloomer, trusses being borne on long stems. Price 30 cts.

Mrs. J. G. Day (new). Of an intense glowing shade of rosy crimson, this elegant new variety is very free blooming. It has a robust, thick glossy foliage and this with the size of blossom, length of stem and free growth, together with its high color, all make it a remarkable variety. The form and doubleness is as perfect as in the best Zonals.

Price 25 &ts.

Etincelant (new). This fine new variety is a strong grower and free bloomer. Color is a pure warm scarlet. Should be in every collection. Price 15 &s.

The Bride (new). Quite a distinct novelty. The flower is very double and produced in large sized trusses. Color is a pure white shading blush at the center. A free bloomer.

Price 10 cts.

Mrs. H. T. Wooderson. Identical with "Chas. Turner" except color, which is a much deeper and more showy shade, an improvement on "Chas. Turner" and sure to become a favorite. Price 15 cts.

L'Elegante (new). An extremely pretty variety, of bright green foliage, with broad band of creamy white, often margined with pink; its pure white, single blossoms are produced in dense clusters.

Price 15 cts.

Souv. Chas. Turner. One of the handsomest double Ivy Geraniums ever introduced. Florets two and one-half inches, in trusses six inches across. The color is a bright pink, approaching scarlet; the upper petals feathered maroon.

Price 15 &cts.

Joan of Arc. This is one of the most charming plants, the flowers being perfectly double and white as snow. The foliage is extremely handsome, the dense, glossy green leaves making a most effective background for clusters of ivory-white flowers.

Price 10 &ts.

Incomparable. Trusses very large, florets immense and very regular in form, quite full; the color is an exquisite shade of rosy carmine.

Price 10 cts.

La Rosaire. Flowers very large and perfectly double, making a lovely rosette in shape; color of the most delicate pink shade and exceedingly attractive.

Price 15 cts.

#### SCENTED GERANIUMS.

Fernaefoleum Odorata. A valuable and scarce sort, with very finely cut leaves, having much the appearance of a fern. Has a very fragrant odor, similar to Sweet Fern. Price 10 cts.

Mrs. Taylor. Rose fragrance, deep scarlet flowers. Lemon. Large leaf scented. Rose. Large leaf scented. Nutmeg. Small silky green leaves. Birch Leaf. Small leaf with birch fragrance. Attar of Roses. Leaf apple green, large and velvety. Shrubland Pet. Small light green leaves, very fragrant. Skeleton. Finely cut foliage. Price, any of above varieties, 10 cts. each.

#### PELARGONIUMS (Lady Washington Geraniums).

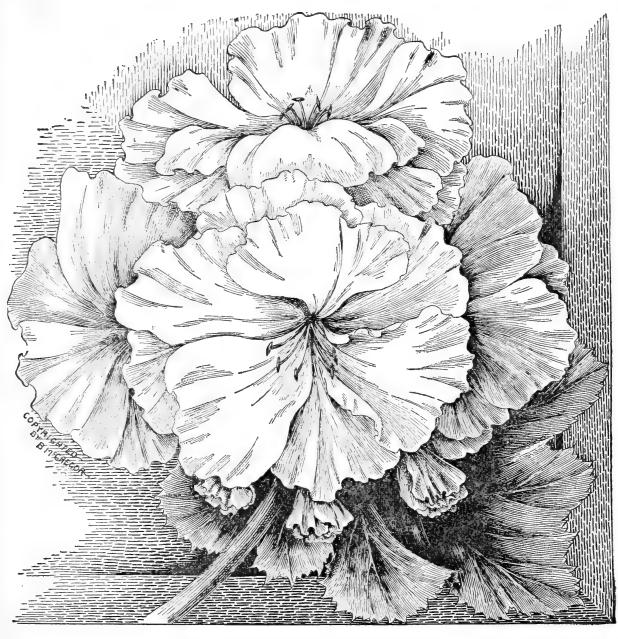
Mrs. O. W. Childs (new). A grand new flower of remarkable freedom of bloom, and dwarf, compact growth. Trusses are very large, and made up of extra large, beautifully rounded, and at the same time fluted flowers of a most exquisite shade of rose pink, with the remarkable absence of scarcely any markings on the petals.

Price 30 cts.

Alfred Henderson (new). A beautiful variety, bearing large trusses of rich, lavender pink flowers, the lower petals marked rich maroon. The coloring is almost identical with a handsome species of orchid. Plant is a free and vigorous grower, and a very prolific bloomer.

Price 25 cts.

Victor. Color of upper petals almost a black, and very velvety; lower ones a bright lively crimson; center pure white, covering nearly one-half of bloom; florets extremely large and very showy. The finest of its class. The great market sort, thousands raised for New York market alone. Price 20 cts.



PELARGONIUM MD. PAPE CARPENTER.

Md. Pape Carpenter. This rare new sort is the only really double one we have ever seen. The flowers are simply magnificent, being very large and "fluffy" and pure white in color. Our cut does not do full justice to this new variety, it being even more double than is shown.

Price 25 &ts.

Sandiford's Nonsuch (new). This magnificent new creation in Pelargoniums is a bright, rosy crimson, edged blush white, the upper petals being blotched dark maroon, shaded light purple around the throat. A strikingly beautiful variety, and as the name indicates, "none such" like it. Price 50 cts.

Sandiford's Best. A beautiful shade of pink surrounded with a broad band of white; large white throat. Very free flowering with large round trusses. A beauty.

Price 35 &cs.

Mrs. Layal (Pansy). A very dwarf shapely compact grower, with vigorous, healthy foliage. It is a very free bloomer, bearing the pretty pansy-like flowers in great profusion. Price 15 cts.

H. M. Stanley. Lower petals soft carmine, upper petals deeper with a maroon blotch. Flowers produced freely. A magnificent variety.

Price 25 cts.

Mrs. Robt. Sandiford. A grand white variety, flower of large size, beautifully ruffled, called double white from the crimpy and fluffy appearance of the flower, which has also an extra petal, readily allowing it to pass for a double white bloom. A strong, vigorous grower.

Price 25 cts.

Apple Blossom. One of the finest blooming house plants in our entire list. People never tire of this, the freest flowering of all the Pelargoniums. Flowers, shades of pink and white, and slightly frilled. It flowers from eight to ten months of the year, and when at its best, the flowers are so profuse they nearly hide the foliage, being one mass of pink and white.

Price 20 &s.

Favorite. An exceedingly strong, bushy grower, and a very free bloomer. Color a beautiful clear rose blotched maroon on the upper petals.

Price 15 cts.

Crimson King (new). A strong, healthy grower, and very free bloomer. Color is a magnificent intense crimson. A remarkably "taking" new variety.

Price 35 cts.

#### AGERATUM.

**Princess Pauline.** A most distinct and novel variety of dwarf, compact habit, rarely exceeding five inches in height, its peculiarity being that both colors, blue and white, are combined in the same flower, the body of the flower being white while the stamens are of a light sky-blue, giving the flower a pretty variegated appearance. Extra as specimens; fine for bedding, vases, or as a window plant.

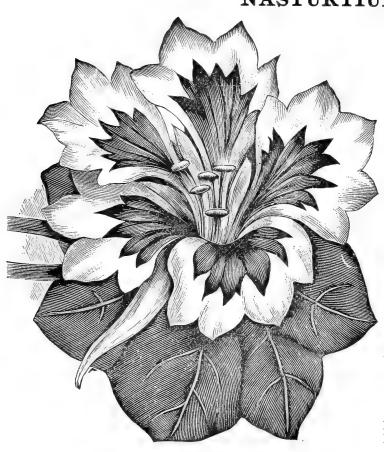
White Cap. A fine compact bedding sort, with flowers of the purest white; a very profuse bloomer; the best of all whites.

Stella Gurney (new). A fine new acquisition. Planted outside, it attains a height of six to eight inches. It is an early and continuous bloomer. Flowers are of the deepest blue so freely produced that it is always one mass of color; admired by everyone who sees it.

Lady Jane (new). A new and improved English variety. Flowers are very much larger than any other sort, being a beautiful bright shade of blue. This will be found to be one of the finest Ageratums ever introduced, in size of flower, beautiful color, freedom of bloom and dwarf habit.

Price, any of above, 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.; 75 cts. per doz.

#### NASTURTIUMS.



PHOEBE.

New Double Yellow. A very striking, double flowering trailing plant especially adapted for vases, window boxes, hanging baskets, rustic boxes and rock work, any place where trailing plants can be used it is indispensable. A free and vigorous grower and continues to bloom the entire summer; the flowers are three inches or more in diameter and are perfectly double of a bright yellow with a rich crimson feathered blotch at the base of each petal. This has proved very popular with everyone who has tried it.

Phoebe. A most attractive scented variety, producing flowers throughout the winter and summer season, of a deep golden yellow, with a rich, crimson-feathered blotch in each segment, outer edges notched or scalloped, the whole forming into an exquisitely shaped blossom. A free vigorous grower. When in the height of its perfection, strings of growth eight to ten feet long, resplendent with its parti-colored flowers, can be cut for decoration. This new fancy Nasturtium is fine for any purpose where this class of plants can be used. Price either of above varieties, 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts. 12 for 60 cts. No seed to offer as they never seed.

#### VIOLETS.

Price 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.; 12 for 75 cts.

**Faraquhar.** One of the finest varieties. The good sized double flowers are borne in the greatest profusion. It has a healthy, vigorous growth, and is of hardy constitution. The beautiful deep blue flowers are of good substance and equisitely fragrant.

Lady Hume Campbell. This is a distinct and lovely new Violet that has become one of the most popular double variety among florists, thousands of them now being grown for cut flowers. Among the doubles it is beyond question the best for amateur culture, for the reason that it excels all others in strong, healthy growth, and it will produce under ordinary conditions, a wonderful abundance of flowers. The flowers are perfectly double, with most delightful violet fragrance.

**Princess of Wales.** Claimed to be the finest Violet yet introduced. The flowers are single, and so large they will sometimes cover a silver dollar; they are borne in great profusion on stems ten to twelve inches high all through the season. The color is true violet blue and the fragrance rich and delicious.

Swanley White. A great favorite. Grown in pots or boxes, it is a beautiful sight; vigorous and healthy, bearing in profusion pure white, perfectly double flowers, exquisitely fragrant.

Marie Louise. This is the variety which is grown by the hundred of thousands to supply the cutflower markets of the country. Color, a rich purple, flowers large and double, stem long and foliage a soft, rich, dark green.

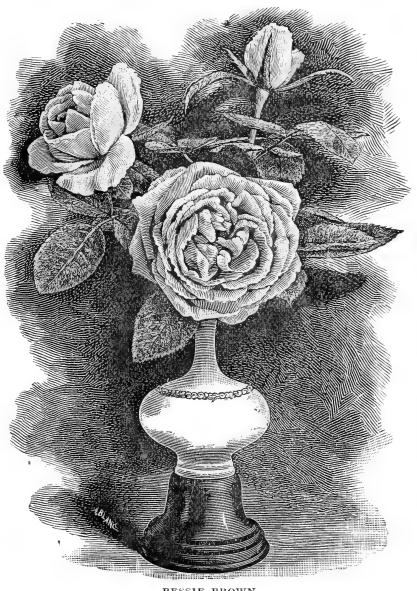
#### EVERBLOOMING TEA AND OTHER MONTHLY ROSES.

(These are not hardy except where mentioned).

Bessie Brown (new). A new Rose of exceeding beauty, and one of the largest and fullest ever seen. It is erect and vigorous in growth, flowering profusely in open ground all summer. Color, pure white, sometimes faintly flushed pink. Petals are of enormous sizeand shell shape. It is really marvellous that such large flowers can be so freely produced.

Price 25 cts.

Gruss an Teplitz, Crimson Hermosa (new). This grand new Rose is a Rose for everyone, succeeding under the most ordinary conditions, and is destined to take rank with such old time favorites as "Hermosa" "Soupert," etc. In color it is of the richest scarlet imaginable, shading to a velvety crimson as the flowers ma-Size is larger than "Hermosa," very fragrant, a free, strong grower, and profuse phenomenally



BESSIE BROWN.

bloomer, being a mass or color at all times. The foliage is quite pretty, the new growth being of a handsome bronze color. Price 20 cts.

Winter Gem. This is a new Tea Rose of vigorous growth and a particularly free bloomer, especially during the winter, hence its name. Blossoms are of large size and a pretty crimson-purple color, the buds being finely shaped, and the open flowers full and double. One plant of this variety, it is claimed, will produce more good Roses throughout the year than any other Tea Rose grown. A fine Rose for amateurs, and especially adapted for window culture. Price 15 cts.

Helen Gould (new). Claimed by the introducers to be the grandest Rose ever introduced, being the strongest growing, largest flowering, freest blooming and hardiest Rose in existence. It is a strong, dwarf, compact grower, free from disease of all kinds. The flowers are as large as "American Beauty," which grand variety it somewhat resembles in fragrance and color, being full and perfectly double; the buds are beautifully made, long and pointed, produced on long, stiff, erect stems. Color is a rich crimson, elegantly shaded and exceedingly beautiful. Price 20 cts. each.

Sunrise (new). One of the most gorgeous Roses yet introduced, and will be grown quite extensively for cut flowers. In the bud it shows a deep coppery pink. As it opens, however, the color deepens, the pink changing to a deeper color, and the inner part of the petals shading from a clear yellow to a deep copper, making a very pretty color effect. The form of both bud and flower is exceedingly fine, and the fragrance exquisite. The foliage is thick and glossy, the new growth being the darkest and most beautiful of all Roses. A most exquisite new introduction. Price 20 cts.

Roger Lambelin. One of the most remarkable Roses. The petals are toothed and fringed on the edge like a double Petunia. Color is a glowing crimson throughout except the edges of the petals which are all distinctly marked with a white band, making a most unique combination. Growth is very vigorous and the fragrance is delightful. A very striking nevelty.

Price 20 cts.

**Snowflake.** One of the freest blooming white Tea Roses which we have. Makes a superb pot Rose. One hundred and forty-three buds and flowers have been counted in a single day on a young plant. Flowers finely formed and pure white in color.

Price 15 cts.

Inconstant Beauty. "The Rose of Many Colors." A most remarkable Rose. A single plant of this variety may have at the same time, deep rose, coppery yellow, blush pink, mottled yellow or apricot colored. Sometimes all these colors will be mixed and mottled in a single flower. Buds and flowers are large, fragrant and beautiful. It is a constant bloomer, and a most novel Rose which should be in every collection.

Price 15 &s.

Burbank (new). This lovely Rose was raised by Luther Burbank of California, known the world over as the "Wizard of Horticulture," and is the only variety out of seventy-five thousand seedlings which he was willing should bear his name. The color is described as a cherry-crimson or in other words, the very deepest and brightest pink Rose in cultivation. It is a strong, bushy, vigorous grower, and is perfectly hardy, standing the most severe winters. It is an extraordinarily free bloomer, bearing the large double, delightfully fragrant flowers throughout the season, until stopped by frost, even small plants just started from cuttings beginning to bloom. A most valuable new variety.

Price 15 cts.



Clotilde Soupert. This grand Rose still holds its reputation of being one of the best all round Roses in existence. Color is a pearly white deepening to a rosy blush in the center. It has a very compact, vigorous habit, and is a wonderfully profuse bloomer, even the smallest plants being covered with a profusion of flowers. The hottest weather does not affect the flowers, so that even in midsummer a bouquet of splendid buds and open flowers can be obtained from this fine variety. Too much cannot be said in praise of this fine Rose for bedding purposes, and valuable as it is for this purpose, it is just as much so for blooming in the house, being entirely exempt from the diseases usually affecting Roses in the house. Price 15 cts.

La France. One of the most beautiful of all Roses, and is unequalled by any in its delicious fragrance. Very large, very double, and superbly formed. Color is light silvery rose, shaded with silver-peach and often with pink. This variety is hardy for out-door culture, if slightly protected with evergreen boughs in winter. Everyone should have this.

Price 10 Cts.

Marechal Neil. No yellow Rose yet produced equals it. The flowers are of the largest size, highly fragrant, and of the richest and deepest golden yellow; the flowers remain in perfection several days. It is a vigorous grower. Price 15 cts.

Marion Dingee. A strong, vigorous grower. The flowers are large, beautifully cup-shaped, moderately full, and borne in wonderful profusion all through the growing season. The color is perhaps its most remarkable feature. It is a deep, brilliant crimson, one of the darkest, if not very darkest and richest colored Tea Rose in existence.

Price 15 cts.

Hermosa. A grand Rose, and one which no can afford to be without. The flower is cupped, finely formed, always in bloom. Soft shade of pink, fragrant, but not a Tea.

Price 10 cts.

Princess Bonnie (new). Princess Bonnie is one of the loveliest of the new Everblooming Roses. It has no superior and very few equals. Its color is indescribable. A richer, deeper crimson was never seen in a Rose, while its fragrance is even more subtle and delicate than that of "La France." It is a profuse bloomer, and as easy of cultivation as the most ordinary Rose. Indeed one finds in "Princess Bonnie" every attribute one longs for in a Rose, and might well be called a Perfection Rose. Price 15 &s.

Perle des Jardins. Flowers very large, full and well formed; color, beautiful straw or rich canary; vigorous growth, extra fine.

Price 10 cts.

Marie Guillot. White, tinged with delicate shade of lemon; large, full and beautifully imbricated in form; a fine white Tea; the perfection of form in Tea Roses; highly fragrant. Price 10 cts.

Mad. Angelique Veysset, Striped La France. This Rose combines all the good qualities of "La France" in growth, fragrance, and shape of bud and flower, in fact differs from it only in two points. First, it is a little freer in bloom than the parent; second, it is nicely striped, the markings being plain and distinct, the variegation, a beautiful bright rose on a satin pink ground.

Price 10 cts.

Mosella, Yellow Soupert. This is everybody's Rose. A strong, bushy, dwarf grower, equally as free blooming, and with the beautiful shaped immense clusters of flowers as "Clotilde Soupert." Buds are exceedingly dainty and attractive. Color is white on beautiful light yellow ground, which becomes a chrome yellow in the center of the flower.

Price 10 cts.

Pink Soupert. Identical with "C. Soupert" except color of flower. Has the same stocky, sturdy habit of growth, blooms as free, with large handsome flowers, same form as "C. Soupert." Color, rich dark shining pink, sometimes nearly red.

Price 10 cts.

Miniature, Baby Rose. This is the smallest of all Roses but perfect in form. The cunning fairy-like flowers are fully double and very fragrant, being borne in wreaths and clusters almost covering the entire plant. Color is a cream rose, flushed with a peachy red.

Price 10 cts.

Henri Martin, Mess. A magnificent Moss Rose. Extra large and perfectly double. Color a deep rosy carmine, shaded a bright crimson, beautifully mossed and very fragrant. Very fine.

Price 15 cts.

#### THE SOUPERT COLLECTION.

Three charming Soupert Roses for 25 cts., postpaid.

One each of Clothilde Soupert, blush white; Pink Soupert, deep pink; Yellow Soupert, Mosella, pale yellow.

Three of the finest roses for outdoor or indoor culture. Will produce hundreds of flowers the first season.

#### HARDY HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES.

(These are hardy in open ground, with little or no protection).

Soleil d'Or, Golden Sun (new). A hardy everblooming yellow Rose is something which thousands have been striving to produce, and at last in this magnificent variety we have it. This grand new Rose is the first of a new race totally different from anything before had. It is a very robust and vigorous grower, with beautiful bright green foliage, which is peculiarly fragrant. It has conical shaped buds of a lovely hue, the flower when expanded being very full, large and globular, superb in color, varying from gold and orange yellow to reddish gold shaded with nasturtium red. It is very fragrant and may be said to be a perpetual bloomer.

Price 25 cts.

Clio (new). The finest flesh-colored Hybrid Perpetual, and we predict for it the greatest popularity as soon as known. It has the most delicate texture and coloring imaginable, being of a delicate satiny blush, with a light shading of rosy pink at the center. Has a beautiful globular form, and in size is truly striking. A hardy, vigorous grower; flowers produced freely throughout the season. Price 15 &s.

\* Mrs. John Laing. Perfectly hardy with immense flowers, full and double, borne in great profusion on long, stiff stems, and exceedingly sweet. Color, a bright shining pink, exquisitely shaded. Buds long and pointed.

Price 15 &cs.

- \* Magna Charta. A splendid Rose, extra large full flowers, very double and of fine form, very sweet. Color is clear rosy red, beautifully flushed with violet crimson. A very sure and profuse bloomer.

  Price 15 &ts.
- \* Mme. Plantier. This grand variety when once planted is as permanent as a Hydrangea. It is hardy as an Oak, and for outdoor planting it is one of the best whites. Flowers pure white, very large and double, and a profuse and continuous bloomer. It is especially recommendable for cemetery planting, because of its permanency. It should never be pruned except the old dead wood cut away. Price 15 &s.
- \* Coquette des Blanches. Pure white with a creamy tinge in center, truly a continuous bloomer as it is scarcely ever without flowers from early summer until cut off by frost in the fall. Price 15 cts.

\* Gen. Jacqueminot. The grand old Rose known by everyone, at least by name and reputation. Rich crimson scarlet in color, and especially handsome in bud. Although introduced nearly fifty years ago, it is still unrivalled in popularity. Should be grown by everyone. Price 15 cts.



MARCHIONESS OF LORNE.

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A remarkable new free flowering variety, with cup shaped flowers of an exceedingly rich, shining rose color, shaded with vivid carmine; buds long and handsome. One of the best garden Roses of its color yet introduced, a splendid grower, free from disease and very fragrant.

Price 15 cts.

Margaret Dickson. Flowers of this new Rose are of magnificent form and very large; in color, a most beautiful, lustrous white, with large, reflexed petals of splendid substance, but most delicate in texture. The buds are large, globular and very handsome. Its habit of growth is extremely vigorous, making a tall, symmetrical bush with bright, shining, ornamental foliage. Has all the beauty of form, fragrance and waxiness of texture of the finest Tea Roses. Price 15 cts.

\* Paul Neyron. The flowers of this grand Rose are immense, color, bright shining pink, clear and beautiful, very double and full, finely scented. No collection complete without this.

Price 15 cts.

Mrs. J. Sherman Crawford (new). A lovely

new introduction. Color is a deep rosy pink, the outer petals tinted with pale flesh in quite a new and unique shade, white at base of petals. Flowers are large, full and very fragrant, of perfect, imbricated form and freely produced, the plant blooming continually from summer to late autumn. Petals are prettily cupped and pointed, and the silvery lustre on the reverse makes the flower shimmer in the sunshine.

Price 15 cts.

Prince Camille de Rohan. A magnificent Rose with large, handsome, fragrant flowers produced with great freedom. Color is a rich, deep velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black. One of the handsomest Roses ever seen.

Price 15 cts.

NOTICE. All above Roses marked with an (\*) we can supply in strong, two-year old field-grown bushes, at 35 cts. each by express, or 50 cts. each postpaid.

#### CLIMBING ROSES.

New Pink Rambler, Emphrosyne. The "Pink Rambler" completes the entire range of cardinal colors that can be embraced in these beautiful Climbing Roses. This rose is as charming as the other Ramblers, bearing its flowers in profuse clusters, the manner of growth being the same. Price 15 cts.

New White Rambler, Thalia. This charming new Rose produces immense pyramidal clusters of pure white, deliciously fragrant, double Roses. The flowers remain on the plant a long time, and keeps a long time when cut. A fitting companion to "Crimson Rambler." Price 15 cts.

New Rambler Rose Helene. Originated in Germany, and very little known in this country as yet. Foliage similar to "Crimson Rambler," but less subject to mildew and insect attacks. Its flowers are borne in large clusters, and produced in amazing profusion. The flower is larger than "Crimson Rambler," almost double, and of excellent substance, remaining in perfection on the bush for weeks. Color, soft violet-rose, almost blush, base of petals yellowish white, while the anthers and pistils are pure yellow, rising boldly from the flower. The buds are carmine, finely mossed, and are borne twenty to fifty in a cluster. This manificent Rose is bound to become popular when better known.

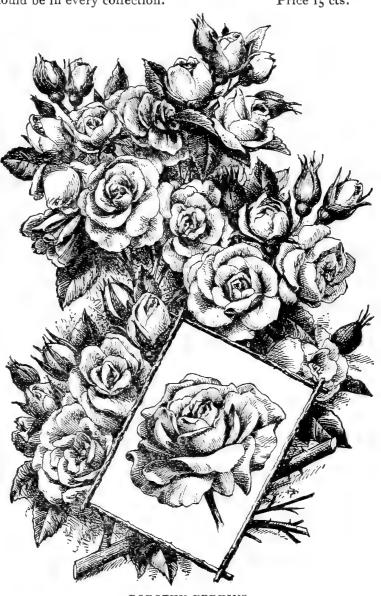
Price 15 &s.

Yellow Rambler, Aglaia. This new Rambler bears its immense pyramidal trusses after the same manner of the "Crimson Rambler." In color, it is a decided yellow with moderate sized, cup-shaped, nearly full flowers, which are sweetly scented. Its habit of growth is very strong, frequently making shoots of eight or ten feet in one season. Should be in every collection. Price 15 cts.

Dorothy Perkins (new). In foliage, growth and habit of blooming, this valuable new Rose is remarkably like "Crimson Rambler," but the flowers are more double and of a beautiful shell pink color. It is of remarkable vigor, often making ten to fifteen feet growth in one season. The flowers are very double, and of large size for this class of Rose, and are borne in loose clusters of from thirty to forty, even fifty and sixty being often counted. The petals are very prettily rolled back and crinkled. The buds are remarkably handsome, being pointed in shape. Color is a most beautiful shell pink, and holds a long time without fading. The flowers are very sweet scented, a characteristic not possessed by most other Roses of the Rambler family. A decidedly valuable new introduction. Price, strong pot plants 20 cts each; strong 1-year field plants 35 cts.

Carmine Pillar, Butterfly Rose. Flowers single, about four inches in diameter and of the brightest rosy carmine in color. Flowers produced in large clusters and opening in succession so that the plants remain in bloom a long time. Very beautiful and showy. Price 15 cts.

\* Crimson Rambler. Undoubtedly the greatest acquisition in a Climbing Rose introduced in many years. Of vigorous growth, making shoots from four to ten feet in height in a season, and consequently a most desirable climbing variety. The flowers with which the plant is covered in the spring, are produced in large trusses



DOROTHY PERKINS.

of a pyramidal form, and of the brightest crimson color, remaining on the plant for a great length of time without losing their brightness. Price 15 cts.

\* Baltimore Belle. Blush, tinged rose and white; the flowers are very double, and are produced in great clusters. Whole plant is one complete mass of bloom when at its best. Price 15 cts.

\* Prairie Queen. Dark rosy red, changing to pink.

Those varieties marked with an (\*) we can furnish in strong two-year field grown plants, at 50 cts. each, by express.

#### THE RAMBLER COLLECTION,

for 60 cts., postpaid.

One each Crimson Rambler, Pink Rambler, (Euphrosyne;) White Rambler, (Thalia;) Yellow Rambler, (Aglaia;) and Helene.

All hardy and all different colors. Everyone should have this magnificent collection.

NORTH SUTTON, N. H., June 20, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: The box of plants were received a few evenings ago in fine condition. I wish to thank you for the fine large plants and your liberality in filling my order. I am very much pleased with them. Respectfully, Respectfully, MRS. MARIA GREELEY.

KITTERY, ME., June 27, 1902 — L. P. Butler & Co. Sirs: The plants came beautifully. Many thanks. Very truly, MRS. L. R. NELSON.

# CANNAS.

CANNA QUEEN CHARLOTTE.

Wilhelm Bofinger (new). This fine new variety has a large, broad, massive foliage of bright green, the flowers being a rich scarlet overlaid with glowing orange-scarlet, a color that can be seen as far as the eye will carry, one of the brightest and most attractive colors we have seen. The plant is of strong but compact habit, very free flowering and a decided acquisition; grows about five feet high. Price 25 &s.

Pennsylvania (new). A grand new giant flowering variety which is remarkably free blooming. Flowers are very large, borne in splendid branching panicles. Foliage is a deep green and of massive size, the whole plant attaining a height of six to seven feet. The pure deep scarlet color, grand proportions and free blooming qualities should make this fine new variety very popular.

Price 30 &s.

David Harum (new). A splendid new dark foliage Canna. It is a strong, robust grower, and very free flowering. Flowers are of large size, with well rounded petals of good substance. Color is a bright vermillion scarlet, dotted with crimson spots. Height four feet.

Price 25 &s.

Olympia. Quite unique in the way of color, which is a violet purple striped with crimson, showing a blue tinge after flowers have been out for a day. Price 15 cts.

**Peachblow.** A dwarf Canna of recent introduction with good sized trusses. Color white changing to rose with a distinct blotch of pink at the neck of the flower.

Price 15 cts.

Sec. Chabanne. A rich pleasing deep salmon colored flower, the older flowers being suffused with a silvery lustre. An exceptionally large flower, and a beautiful bright color. Grows about four feet high and is an exceedingly early and free bloomer.

Price 15 cts.

Governor Roosevelt. An entirely new and distinct variety; instead of being mottled or spotted, it is striped. The variation in the striping is remarkable in the highest degree. In some petals the coloring matter runs in even bands of red and yellow, others on the same stem will be all red, some flowers will be entirely red, and even some spikes will have only a small proportion of yellow coloring while the others on the same plant will show remarkable variegation.

Price 15 &s.

Mrs. Kate Gray. A splendid variety with immense orange-scarlet flowers. Has a fine strong habit with broad, bronzy-green foliage. Strong spikes of flowers borne well above the foliage, the individual florets being immensely large and of good texture; the flowers lasting well. The color is a bright orange-scarlet, at times striped with deeper scarlet, and edges of petals flamed with golden yellow. Foliage is very broad and the effect of the plant is decidedly tropical.

Price 15 &s.

**Black Beauty.** The handsomest Indian Canna yet introduced, with large massive foliage of the richest bronzy purple color shaded with black, the edges of the leaves having a peculiar wavy margin. Where foliage effect alone is desired, nothing richer or more handsome can be found. Price 30 cts.

Italia. Of a bright orange-scarlet with a very broad golden yellow border; the flowers, which are produced on massive stems about sixteen inches long, are set well above the foliage; flowers of immense size, frequently measuring six inches across.

Price 15 cts.

Austria. A counterpart of "Italia" in every way, except in the color of its flowers, which are of a pure canary color, with but a few traces of small reddish brown spots in the center of the two inside petals.

Price 15 &cs.

McKinley. Brilliant crimson with scarlet shading. Trusses large and compact, of good shape, held well above the foliage, and the flower spikes are produced freely and evenly. Dwarf, compact habit, growing about two and one-half to three feet high.

Price 15 cts.

Florence Vaughn. The flower petals differ from most, even of the newest kinds, in their remarkable width and roundness, characteristics of the highest type to be sought for in these new kinds. In habit the plant has very broad, light green leaves, making a splendid effect. The flower spike is large; each flower opens broadly, and the color is a golden yellow, dotted with brilliant carmine. Price 15 cts.

Mile. Berat. A clear distinct rosy pink, the best of the pink varieties, large trusses borne well above the foliage; an early profuse bloomer. Very desirable.

Price 15 cts.

Burbank. Flowers very large, spreading, and of a rich canary yellow, showing a few spots of red. A very strong grower with rich foliage of great luxuriance.

Price 15 cts.

Chas. Henderson. Probably one of the most popular crimson Cannas in cultivation. Of uniform compact habit and very free flowering.

Price 15 &ts.

Shenandoah. Dark tropical foliage, fine for contrast.

Price 15 cts.

Queen Charlotte. A wonderful and decided variety from Germany. Its main advance being its color, which is bright red; each petal bordered with a very wide band of bright yellow. Extra showy for summer use, and also a splendid winter bloomer.

Price 15 cts.

Alphonse Bouvier. Height five to six feet. Color, brilliant deep crimson. Silvery green foliage with chocolate brown margin. Large branching trusses produced in the greatest profusion. Undoubtedly one of the freest blooming Cannas that we have.

Price 15 cts.

Philadelphia. Two to three feet high, bright scarlet flowers shading to crimson, five and one-half to six inches across, petals one and three-fourths to one and seven-eighths wide, not reflexed; a beautiful glowing color.

Price 15 cts.

**Duke of Marlborough.** Dark, velvety maroon. The darkest of all Cannas; extremely rich crimson-maroon, shading toward purple and black. Fine, erect, compact truss; extremely floriferous. Foliage bluish, metallic green; height, three to four feet.

Price 15 &s.

POTTED CANNAS. In May and June we will have many of above sorts, nice plants, ten to twenty inches high, well grown in pots. These when planted out will bloom much sooner than dormant roots, and for immediate effect are very desirable. They cannot be sent by mail, but must go by express. Price, our selection in finest assortment, 25 cts. each, \$2.00 per dozen. Buyer's selection, price on application.

#### LANTANAS.

These new Lantanas should be more largely used for bedding purposes, and when the brilliant effect and masses of color of these new varieties become better known, they undoubtedly will be. These varieties are phenomenal bloomers, being a mass of color at all times.

Amiel. This new variety approaches the trailing in habit. As the first growths droop toward the ground, successive growths rise above these until it forms a dome shaped plant covered solid with bloom of the brightest shade of orange red with golden centers. A most valuable new variety. Price 15 cts.

Ultima (new). A very free bloomer with glossy foliage. Greenish yellow on opening, passing to a splendid golden yellow of intense shade, the brightest yet introduced. A particularly fine yellow edging plant.

Price 10 &s.

Javotte (new). A very fine French novelty with extremely large flowers. Center bright yellow with pure white border.

Price 10 cts.

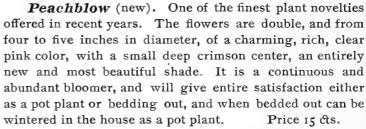
Harkett's Perfection. Golden variegated foliage, with strong dwarf habit. Color, yellow and pink, the most delightful combination imaginable.

Price 10 cts.

Michael Schmidt. Flowers fresh and sparkling, of a brilliant yellow passing into purple vermillion.

Price 10 cts.

#### HIBUSCUS.



Cooperii Tricolor. This variety is mostly grown for its variegated foliage, the young shoots having all shades of color from pure white to deep red and various shades of green. Flowers single crimson. Price 15 cts.

Collerii. A remarkable new and distinct variety introduced from the South Sea Islands. Flowers of a buff yellow with a crimson scarlet base and peculiarly handsome.

Price 15 cts,

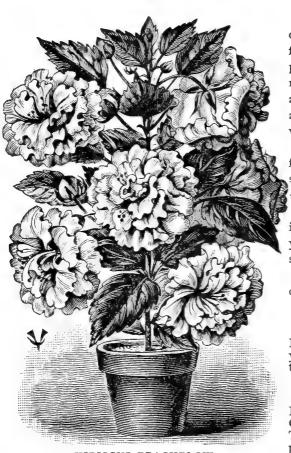
Minatus. A strong, vigorous variety with healthy, dark green foliage. Magnificent double crimson flowers.

Price 15 cts.

NANTUCKET, MASS., Oct. 7, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: I am much pleased with the plants I had from you this spring. My Chrysanthemums are just beginning to bloom and they are just wonderful.

MRS. L. T. HAMBLIN.

PENFIELD, N. Y., June 27, 1902.— L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: The plants received yesterday in fine condition. On the whole I am very much pleased with all of the plants. They are a fine lot. I thank you very much for the gratis plants. Respectfully, MRS. H. J. CULROSS.



HIBISCUS PEACHBLOW.

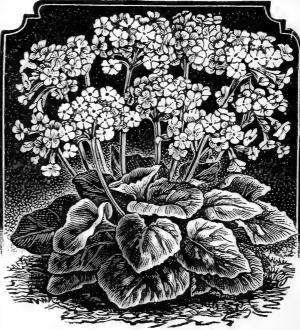
#### PRIMROSES.

Obconica, Japanese Primrose. A lovely perpetual blooming Primrose, needing about same culture as the Chinese varieties. The flowers are borne profusely, in trusses, on long stems, color white, delicately tinted rosy lilac. Of easy culture, thriving with little care and attention. The blooming qualities are wonderful, in full flower from October to August, fully nine months in the year, producing twice the quantity of flowers of any plant with which we are acquainted. Can be planted in open ground in summer and potted again in fall.

Price 15 &ts.; larger, 20 &ts.

Chinese Primrose, single. One of the most desirable winter blooming plants, flowering during the winter and spring months. Choice fringed varieties in many colors. Primroses prefer rather cool treatment and need but little sun, even doing finely in a north window. Price 20 cts.; three varieties, 50 cts.; smaller plants, 15 cts.

Forbesi, the Baby Primrose. We pronounce this one of the most valuable plants for flower lovers introduced for years. It begins to bloom in thumb pots,



OBCONICA PRIMRUSE.

when the leaves are scarcely two inches high, and continues to bloom for ten months in succession, the

plants soon forming dense clumps of foliage crowded with dozens of long flower spikes. The blossoms are very dainty and graceful, of a most pleasing rose color, with eye or center of pale gold. They are carried in tiers, on erect but delicate stems, twelve to fifteen inches long, and positively remain fresh for two weeks after being cut.

Price 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.

#### FUCHSIAS.

Gustave Nadeau (new). A fine new variety. Flowers are double, royal purple in color and comes into profuse bloom on very small plants. This variety is noted for the great length of the corolla.

Price 20 cts.

White Beauty. This is an elegant pot plant, being at all times covered with the single white and carmine blossoms.

Price 15 &ts.

Monarch. Enormous blooms; crimson sepals, violet-purple corolla; very double; strong growth, free-flowering. Foliage is a pretty golden yellow color.

Price 10 &s.

Antumn Leaves (new). Plant has a graceful drooping habit, and the foliage is remarkably handsome, being of a mingled green, red, gold and bronze color, terminating in beautiful clusters of flowers. Color, tube and sepal rosy scarlet, corolla deep violet crimson. No other Fuchsia in existence has such magnificently colored foliage.

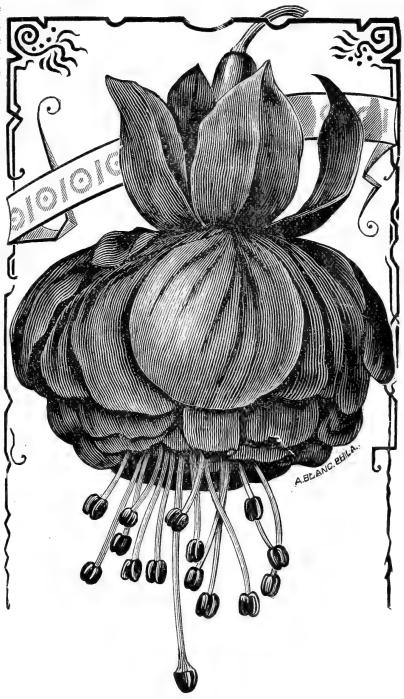
Price 10 cts.

Commandant Marchand (new). This splendid new European sort is a strong, bushy grower with immense double, purple blooms. One of the most promising new sorts, and bound to become popular when better known.

Price 10 cts.

Ct. de Huges (new). This grand new Fuchsia has an enormous double corolla of bright rosy flesh color, veined with rose, with long sepals of clear bright carmine. It is an unusually good grower, and the build of the flower is fine and unusual. Price 10 &ts.

Phenomenal. This grand variety still remains at the head of the list for size of bloom. Plant is of dwarf habit and free blooming. Light red tube and sepals, with rich violet corolla of immense size. This grand variety



FUCHSIA, MONARCH.

is one of our best and should be in every collection.

Price 10 cts.

Sapley Freres. A splendid erect grower with quite a distinctive foliage. Flowers very large and produced in great profusion. The very double corolla is of a rosy violet color, the long recurving sepals being of a bright coral red.

Price 10 cts.

Trailing Queen. This Fuchsia is an entirely new departure, differing from all other large flowering varieties in its habit of growth, as it is a trailing vine. The young plants, as they commence growth, creep out to the edge of the pot, and then go trailing downward. The flowers are borne in large, drooping clusters, and are very large, long and graceful; buds, tubes and sepals being bright rosy scarlet; corolla, when it first opens, a deep, rich violet-purple, changing to a fine shade of crimson.

Price 10 cts.

Mrs. E. G. Hill. This is one of the grandest Fuchsias we have ever grown. We cannot say too much in its praise. Unlike most of the double white Fuchsias, it is a robust, upright grower, not coarse, but compact and very symmetrical. The tube and sepals are a bright, reddish crimson; corolla, pure white, extra large and double.

Price 10 cts.

Black Prince. Tube and sepals bright waxy carmine color; sepals with pale green tips and large open pale pink corolla, margined with deep rose.

Price 10 cts.

Sunray. Color of foliage as rich and clear as any tricolor Geranium. The leaves are of a bright crimson, white and bronzy green; corolla purple, sepals coral-red.

Price 15 &s.

Speciosa. A well known variety, producing large flowers two inches in length, tubes and sepals of which are blush, the corolla crimson. Some plants of this variety, grown in eight or nine-inch pots, will produce from three hundred to five hundred flowers from December to May.

Price 10 cts.

Carl Halt. One of the most beautiful of all Fuchsias; sepals white; corolla crimson, striped with white. Fine for winter flowering.

Price 10 cts.

#### HYDRANGEAS.

Hortensia Mariesii, (new). One of the most distinct and effective varieties yet introduced. This new Japanese variety is remarkable for the large size and distinct color of its sterile flowers which are fully three inches across and of a light pink color tinted mauve.

Price 20 cts.

Souv. de Claire, (new). Another new Japanese variety, dwarf in habit and growth and very free in bloom. Color, pink. Plant grows very shapely and bushy. Price 20 cts.



HYDRANGEA OTAKSA.

Contrast of stem foliage and flower is very fine.

Monstrosa. One of the most valuable new plants that has been introduced in years, The trusses of flowers are of enormous size. even on the very small plants. Color, intense deep rose. Plant a strong free grower and remarkably free in bloom. With its clear, solid pink color and immense blooms, this variety easily stands as the grandest of all Hydrangeas. Price, small plants, 20 cts.; larger, 50 cts. and 75 cts.

Thomas Hogg. Another Japan production. A pure white variety of the old garden "Hydrangea," being identical with it except in color, which is of purest white. Hardy at North if protected with boughs; very fine for pot culture. Price 15 cts.; larger, 25 and 40 cts.

**Red Branched.** This is one of the finest varieties in cultivation, with dark red branches that [brighten as they near the flower trusses. The plant is of robust habit, and produces freely immense heads of deep rose-colored flowers.

Price 15 cts.; larger, 40 cts.

Otaksa. A magnificent flowering shrub, with immense trusses of flowers, frequently twelve inches across; color, bright rosy pink, contrasting finely with other sorts. The plant is of low, bushy growth, and should have a covering of straw, leaves or evergreen branches during the winter in northern climates. The low, sturdy growth, together with its immense blooms and beautiful foliage, makes it the most desirable of all to grow in pots, tubs or vases for summer decoration; can be wintered in cellar.

Price 15 cts.; large 40 cts. and 60 cts.

Paniculata Grandiflora (Hardy Hydrangea). See Shrub Department.

#### CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Our list of these comprises some of the best and more distinct of the newer kinds, and at the same time, we have retained the cream of the older varieties. Try a few plants this spring, set them in a good rich place in the garden, keep them nipped back so as to make bushy plants, and just before frost next fall, take them up with dirt on the roots, put in good sized pots, and then give them a sunny window, and you will be surprised at the mass of flowers.

Bentley (new). An enormous, double, globular, reflexed Japanese variety, of perfect form and growth. Blooms are splendid clear pink, eight to ten inches in diameter. A fine new variety.

Price 20 &ts.

Timothy W. Eaton (new). This is the sensational new variety of last year, and is the one variety which has swept everything before it, for a white, at the Chrysan-themum exhibitions. It is an enormous, globular, Japanese, incurved variety, of perfect form, perfectly full to center, a creamy white in color and borne on strong, stiff stems with elegant foliage. A magnificent variety.

Price 15 &ts.

Petaluma (new). A grand flower both in color and form. The petals are quilled, and when the blooms are developed it is globular in form, and often nine inches in diameter. Color, a very pretty shade of light bronze. Very distinct. Price 20 cts.

Curly Locks (new). A decided novelty. Blooms are very artistic, the outer petals being tubular and reflexed, open at the tips. Color, a beautiful pink changing to white at center. Size enormous.

Price 20 &ts.

Superba (new). This is the very latest and very finest late pink variety, being in fine shape in December. It is a Japanese incurved of a very bright shade of pink. Will prove very valuable for blooms after other varieties are gone. Price 10 &ts.

Malcolm Lamond (new). This is the finest red to date. Artistic shaped blooms of a very pure red in color. Dwarf habit, making a fine pot plant. Price 10 cts.

Pluma. A new variety of the ostrich plume type. Flower a very delicate pink in color, closely incurved. The finest ostrich plume variety introduced. A grand new acquisition.

Price 10 cts.

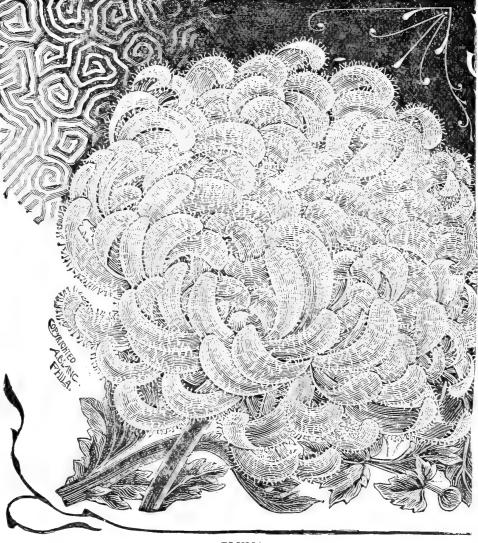
White Swan. Very similar to "Pluma" except pure white in color. Price 10 cts.

Marie Calvat. A splendid new variety, easy to grow. Blooms white, flushed pearly pink, reflexed, very deep and of immense size. Price 10 cts.

Lavender Queen
A large Japanese type
with outer petals reflexed and center erect.
A new color, decidedly
distinct from anything
heretofore seen, being a
soft shade of lavenderpink. Under artificial
light is identical with
the colored Cattleya
Orchids so much ad
mired by all.

Price 10 cts.

Col. D. Appleton. Another grand



PLUMA.

new sort, which will supersede in time many of the other yellow sorts. Flower is of magnificent size and form, and a beautiful bright yellow in color, borne on strong stems, and with fine foliage. Price 10 cts.

Mrs. Henry Robinson. In the entire Chrysanthemum family there is no grander white variety, no matter when it blooms; it is of the most popular style—immense incurving broad channeled petals of great substance and of the purest white.

Price 10 cts.

Glory of Pacific. A fine new pink sort. It is of magnificent size, with broad petals, which finally reflex; color changing to white, with rosy tints.

Price 10 cts.

Miss Gladys Vanderbilt. Pearl white, with lemon-shaped center; an exceedingly fine thing, and a decided novelty both in form and general build.

Price 10 cts.

**Everblooming.** The flowers are of the Chinese type, pure snow-white, perfectly double and produced by the hundreds. A new Chrysanthemum which may be grown either in the garden or in pots, and produce a large crop of fine double white flowers for a greater part of the year. Price 10 cts.

Polly Rose. The earliest pure white. A splendid variety for growing in pots, having a strong, sturdy bush form and requiring no staking or tying.

Price 10 cts.

Pink Ivory. Identical with "Ivory" except color, which is a fine pure pink.

Price 10 cts.

Marion Henderson. A superb, large flowering, early sort. Pure gold in color. It is full of petals in the center, and lasts a long time; in fact, although very early, it can yet be made late, because it remains perfect on the plant for such a length of time.

Price 10 cts.

Ivory. This is one of the very best varieties for pot culture or cut flowers. The plant is a vigorous, compact grower, and makes handsome specimen with very little training. Flowers, pure white and of exquisite form and finish; petals stiff and lasting.

Price 10 cts.

W. H. Lincoln. A magnificent golden yellow. An extra large flower, very double and of great substance. Largely used for growing into specimen plants.

Price 10 cts.

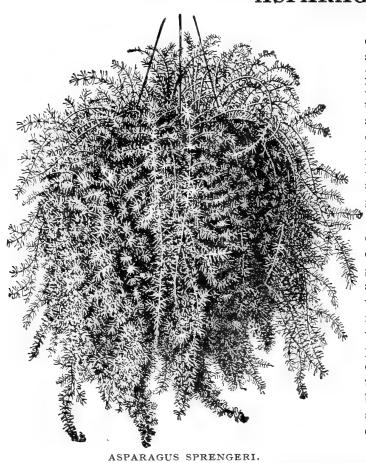
Maj. Bonnafon. Soft clear yellow, very full in center. One of the most perfectly formed and highest finished in our list.

Price 10 cts.

Golden Wedding. A golden yellow variety, especially noteworthy for the size of its blooms and the richness of its color. A bold majestic variety.

Price 10 cts.

#### ASPARAGUS.



Sprengeri. Emerald Feather. 'A most desirable new species, especially useful to grow as a pot plant for decorative purposes or for planting in suspended baskets; the fronds are long trailing, and of a rich shade of green, most useful for cutting, retaining their freshness after being cut for weeks. It will make an excellent house plant, as it withstands dry atmosphere, and will succeed in almost any position. No introduction of recent years has made such a favorable impression upon us as this Asparagus. Price 10 cts.; strong plants, 30 cts.

Plumosus Nanus. Also erroneously called "Lace Fern." One of the handsomest of our foliage plants. The leaves are a bright green, gracefully arched, and as finely woven as the finest silken mesh. Their lasting quality, when cut, is remarkable, retaining their freshness for weeks, hence it ranks as the most valuable plant we have for this purpose, surpassing "Maiden Hair" Fern in grace, fineness of texture and richness of color. It is one of the finest decorative vines recently introduced; by many florists it is used instead of Smilax, as easily grown and very much more beautiful on account of its light feathery growth.

Price 15 cts.

#### VERBENAS.

Verbenas being a leading specialty, we have selected from a large collection the following varieties, which combine the best bedding qualities and embrace the greatest variety of color, which cannot fail to give satisfaction to all. We also have in stock many kinds not on the list.

Lancaster Beauty, red and white striped, very fine; Glowworm, rich crimson; Flash, bright scarlet with white eye; Jubilee, dark red, very fine; Sylph, white; Miss Arthur, pure scarlet; Miss Massey, pink, with large white eye; Zebra, pink and white striped; Garnet, garnet color; Beauty of Oxford, mammoth pink; Climaxer, extra large, scarlet; Negro, nearly black, very fine; Onyx, a beautiful shade of red; Miss Wilson, magenta; Neptune, lilac, striped white; Invincible, rich purple, white eye.

Price, customer's selection, 8 cts. each, 75 cts. per doz.; our selection of best sorts, only 6 cts. each, 60 cts. per doz.; fine seedlings, mixed, 50 cts. per doz. Verbenas cannot be sent by mail after May 15. While we shall fill all orders for Verbenas in full as far as possible, we reserve the right to substitute good kinds in place of any of which we may be out.

Lemon Verbena, Aloysia Citriodora. Indispensable for fragrance of its leaves. Price 10 cts.

PINE GROVE, W. WA., May 17, 1902.—Messrs. L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: My Roses came all right and was well pleased with them. Very truly, MRS. JANETTA FERGUSON.

NEW YORK CITY, March 6, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: I have received this afternoon the Begonias. They look beautiful and I thank you very much for the extra. It is charming.

M. J. WHATELY.

Dorchester, Mass., July 31, 1902.—Messrs. L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: The order for plants received yesterday in good condition, and am more than pleased with the quantity.

Yours, MRS. H. S. FERNALD.

#### SUPERB DAHLIAS.

aoth Century. This grand, new single Dahlia is the most exquisite colored ever introduced. No orchid could be more delicate in color, or yet richer in shading. It is purest white at the base and tips of the petals, gradually shading toward the center of the petal to delicate blush-rose, becoming deeper at the center of the petal. Not variegated but a wonderful blending of colors. The flowers are of largest size, six to seven inches across and of splendid form, while the plant is a very strong grower and profuse bloomer. A magnificent new acquisition.

Price 35 cts.

Red Hussar (new). A grand variety of large regular form, with a full, high center. The color is purest cardinal red, without trace of purple or crimson, which is found in somany varieties. The plant is strong and vigorous, producing the flowers on long stems; elegant for cut flowers.

Price 20 cts.

**Black Diamond** (new). An immense flowered, dark sort, much larger than any others of the so-called black varieties. Color is jet black when the flower first expands, and gradually changing to a deep, velvety maroon-black.



FERN-LEAVED BEAUTY.

The flowers are fine form, the outer petals reflexing to the stems, forming immense balls of color.

Price 20 cts.

**Eureka** (new). One of the most valuable Dahlias yet introduced, both as a blooming plant and for cut flowers. The flowers are very large, of deep rose color, of fine, regular form, perfectly full to the center. The plant is dwarf, an early and profuse bloomer on long stems.

Price 20 &ts.

Lorely (new). This handsome variety is of a true cactus form, the outer petals being of a soft "La France" pink, gradually shading lighter toward the center, which is a creamy white. One of the finest pink varieties yet introduced.

Price 20 cts.

Storm King or Blizzard. This superb snow-white Dahlia is an extremely early, profuse and constant bloomer, of strong, dwarf, branching habit, and produces its flowers on long stems. Flowers are snow white, of perfect form and full to the center. For cut flowers it is the florists ideal, while for grouping or as a specimen plant, it is far ahead of any other white show Dahlia.

Price 20 cts.

Elfin. A dainty little pompon; pale primrose, changing to creamy white; always full to the center. Plant is completely covered with flowers.

Price 15 cts.

Crimson King (new). This fine new Dahlia is the strongest and earliest blooming variety which we have in our entire collection. Roots which are put out ten days to two weeks later than other varieties will flower as early as our earliest varieties. This makes it an especially valuable variety for the North, lengthening out the blooming season considerably. Flowers are a dark crimson-maroon, shading lighter at the tips, full to the center, and borne on long stems.

Price 15 &s.

John H. Roach. A splendid new, light yellow, cactus Dahlia. Has a beautiful flower of perfect form, with long, incurved, pointed petals. A beautiful variety, the loose, artistic form of the blooms making it especially fine for cut flowers.

Price 20 cts.

**Snowclad.** Fine white Pompon; strong, vigorous grower, of branching habit, and such a profuse bloomer as to suggest the name; of perfect form, and always full to the center.

Price 15 cts.

Nymphaea. By far the most delicately beautiful Dahlia ever introduced; more extensively grown for cut-flowers than all others combined. The flowers are of medium to large size; always full to the center, resembling the ideal pink water lily. The color is a clear, distinct, light shrimp-pink, tinted lighter toward the center.

Price 15 &ts.

Admiral Dewey (new). Brilliant imperial purple. Of fine form; a strong grower, and by far the best of its class.

Price 15 cts.

Clifford W. Bruton. The best yellow; of immense size, perfect form and of the finest canary yellow. A tall, vigorous grower and an extremely free bloomer. Should be in every collection. Price 15 cts.

Grand Duke Alexis. A magnificent flower of largest size and distinctly unique form, as the petals are rolled up so that edges overlap each other. The color is pure white, distinctly tinged delicate pink, thus giving a daintiness and grace to what would otherwise be a large stiff flower. Price 15 cts.

Fern-Leaved Beauty. A beautiful fern-leaved variety; white, striped deep crimson. A most unique variety, which should be in every collection.

Price 15 cts.

Iridescent (Red and Blue). Most beautiful of all when well grown. Orange-red, overlaid and edged pure blue; very profuse bloomer.

Price 15 cts.

William Agnew. Finet red ever introduced. Of intense, glistening scarlet-crimson; immense size, perfect form, and a mass of color.

Price 15 cts.

Miss Lou Kramer. Base of petals yellow, heavily tipped clear, bright crimson and shaded maroon; of perfect shape; an early and profuse bloomer; plant strong and vigorous. Price 15 cts.

Penelope. White, flaked lavender. This is most beautiful and chaste; of perfect form, always full to the center; a profuse bloomer on long stems.

Price 15 cts.

Zulu. Rightly named "the Black Dahlia." Jet black, changing to black-maroon as the flowers fully expand. Of fine form and full to the center.

Price 15 cts.

A. D. Livoni. Beautiful soft pink, with quilled petals and full to the center, an early and profuse bloomer; should be in every collection.

Price 15 cts.

We will send a collection of five varieties, our selection, for 50 cts. postpaid.

#### PETUNIAS.

Mrs. Morton. A splendid stocky, bushy grower. Flowers snow white, finely fringed, and very airy and graceful in appearance. Absolutely the best white Petunia which we have had to date.

Price 15 cts.

Gen. Otis. A very vigorous, healthy grower, and very profuse bloomer. The large flowers are finely fringed, color being pure white blotched deeply at center, with dark rose shading out to light pink and white.

Price 10 cts.

**Pink Beauty.** This lovely variety has been very popular with our customers. Very profuse bloomer; color, sometimes a fine clear pink, and again will come with a charming ruffled white edge.

Price 10 cts.

Aileen. Stocky grower with nicely fringed blooms. Color, a very pale lavender pink, blotched in the center and veined in with a darker shade.

Price 10 cts.

Single Seedlings grown from our choicest seed; rich mixture of colors. Price 50 cts. per doz.

#### IMPATIENS PLANT.

**Sultani** (sometimes called "Patience Plant"). Of compact, neat habit of growth, with good constitution, and a perpetual bloomer. The flowers are of a brilliant rosy scarlet, peculiarly distinct, but most effective hue, about one and one-half inches in diameter, and are produced singly or twos and threes from the axil of the leaves, especially toward the summit of the stems, but so freely that a well grown specimen appears to be quite a ball of fire. We recommend this highly.

Price 10 &ts.

Queen Corola. For a blooming plant that will flower the full 365 days in the year, and thrive well as a window plant, none equal the well known "Impatiens Sultani." This new sort is identical in growth and free blooming quality, but having flowers in color a beautiful salmon, suffused with rose, base of lower petals blotched white, stamens and pistils garnet and purple.

Price 10 cts.

Ruby. Same as above, except color, which is very much darker shade than "Sultani" and fully as free flowering.

Price 10 cts.

#### TENDER VINES AND BASKET PLANTS.

The following vines are for house culture or summer planting — not hardy.

Asparagus. See page 34.

English Ivy. Too well know to need description.

Price 10 cts; large, 30 cts.

Honeysuckle, Golden Leaved. Marvelously effective. It bears immense sprays of the most perfect little leaves that are covered with a net work of gold and green, often marked with pink also. The gold deepens at the tip of the sprays, and there is nothing finer to combine with bouquets; also quite hardy in open ground.

Price 15 &s.

Cuphea Platycentra, Cigar Plant. The tube of the flower is scarlet, with the end part white and crimson, having somewhat the appearance of a miniature lighted cigar; not a vine, but a trailing or basket plant. Also fine for outdoor borders.

Price 10 & ts.

Glechoma Hederacea var., Nepeta. A variegated form of the common ground Ivy, which is prettily marked with pure white on a bright green ground. It is hardy and of vigorous growth; the leaves of this form have a refreshing fragrance similar to Mint. It is entirely hardy and fine for either vases or cemetery work.

Price 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.

Ivy German or Parler. A well known rapid climber; for pot culture or vases. Price 10 cts.

Jasmine Grandiflorum, Catalonian Jasmine. A valuable winter flowering plant, blooming withoul intermission from October to May. The flowers are pure white, most deliciously fragrant; used extensively by bouquet makers.

Price 15 cts.

Cobea Scandens. A well known climbing plant of very rapid growth and having large blue bell-shaped flowers. Used for covering trellises and unsightly places, for which its rapid growth makes it very valuable.

Price 15 cts.

Weeping Lantana Mrs. Mc-Kinley. A splendid new introduction. With its long leafy vines hanging over the sides of a pot or basket and covered with innumerable rosy lilac flowers, it is a handsome sight. The flowers are borne in clusters, and being of a particularly charming color attract universal attention. It blooms quickly in small pots, and being of such easy culture is bound to become very popular. We particularly recommend this plant as being most satisfactory for vases, baskets or pots. Price 10 cts.

Mesembryanthemum, Grandiflora Alba. New, large flowering,
pure white wax plant, of a trailing
habit, and especially fine for hanging
pots or baskets. The blossoms are
very large, two to three inches across.

Price 10 cts.

Mesembryanthemum, Wax Plant, or Rock Pink. Curious succulent plant, similar foliage and flower to above. Flowers pink; an old variety, but fine for baskets. Price 10 cts.

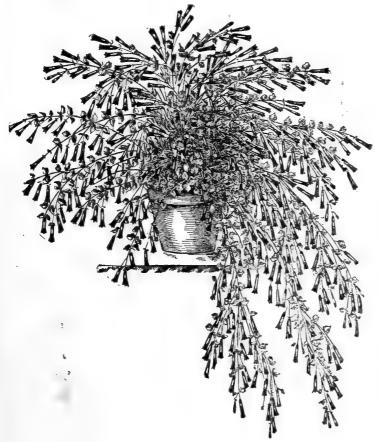
Mesembryanthemum Variegata. Has flat succulent leaves, pale green, edged with white. Price 10 cts.

Saxifraga Sarmentosa. The

ONE FOURTH NATURAL SIZE

WEEPING LANTANA

well-known basket plant, better known as "Strawberry Geranium." Ornamental foliage. Price 10 cts. Vinca, Variegata. Rapid grower; leaves glossy green, margined with white. Price 10 cts.



RUSSELIA.

Russelia Lemoinei Multiflora. This is fine either for vases or hanging pots. The long, pendulous branches grow gracefully drooping and being covered with tassels of magnificent coral-red flowers.

Price 10 cts.

SPRAY

Russelia Elegantissima. Similar to above except flowers are of a softer red and the long stems are finer. Price 10 cts.

Alyssum, Mammoth. The finest of all large growing Alyssums. Small plants planted in open ground will make immense clumps for summer cut flowers. Also grand as a pot or vase plant; flowers white, semi-double, of twice the size in truss and floret of any sort we have ever seen. Its long, strong stem makes it very fine for cut flowers. First-class for summer or winter use.

Price 10 cts.; 4 for 25 cts.

Alyssum, Double Tom Thumb. This variety has the same dwarf habit as the single, but its trusses are much longer and the florets double. The double flowers hold on so long that the plant is always in bloom, never having that ragged and unattractive appearance of old varieties when out of flower. Price 10 cts.; 4 for 25 cts. Either of above sorts, 60 cts. per doz.

Smilax, Myrsiphyllum Asparagoides. A climbing plant unsurpassed in the graceful beauty of its foliage; valuable for bouquets and decorations.

Price 10 cts.

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LOTUS PELYORENSIS.

Lotus Pelyorensis, Coral Gem. The slender branch ing habit is most striking, and the silvery foliage even more so. Without its flowers it might almost be described as a "Silvery Asparagus." The bright coral-red flowers, measuring two inches in length, are really beautiful; its drooping habit also makes it useful for hanging baskets. Easily grown. A fine contrast and companion to "Asparagus Sprengeri."

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Hoya Carnosa, Wax Plant. Has thick, fleshy leaves growing moderately fast and bearing umbels of beautiful flesh-colored waxy flowers.

Price 15 cts.

Manettia Vine. In the house it can be trained all around a window, and will bloom both summer and winter. In the garden its charming beauty surpasses everything. Flowers intense scarlet, tipped with yellow, each flower keeping perfect over a month before fading.

Price 10 &ts.

is hardy with slight protection. A climbing plant rivalling some of the Climatis in size, color and profusion of bloom, and surpasses them in vigor of growth and delicate fragrance. Pure ivory white in color.

Price 10 cts.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Azalea. Elegant pot plants, much used for Easter decorations. Though attaining a good size, commence to bloom when very small. The flowers are large and very beautiful, always much admired, and range from white to deep crimson in color, with all intermediate shades and markings. Easily grown in any window. Our plants are fine ones; all 5, 6 and 7-inch pots, well branched and full of buds; will bloom profusely through the spring months.

Price \$1.00; extra sizes, \$1.25 to \$1.50.

Agapanthus Umbellatus, Lily of the Nile. This is a splendid ornamental plant, bearing large clusters of blue flowers on long flower stalks, and lasting a long time in bloom. There is no finer plant than this for outdoor decoration, planted in large pots or tubs on the lawn, terrace or piazza. It does well in the house or greenhouse in winter, requiring but slight protection.

Price 25 and 40 cts.

Browalia Gigantea. A charming new plant. It is of strong, compact, bushy growth, blooming so profusely as to be completely covered with the intensely blue flowers, fully as intense as the "Marie Louise" violet. Florets are about one to one and one-half inches in diameter, and it has been called the "Giant Violet" from its resemblance to that beautiful flower. A splendid new introduction and very easy to grow.

Price 15 cts.

Bougainvillea Glabra Sanderiana. It affords us great pleasure to offer this new and useful flowering plant; small and large plants alike being covered with blossoms. Even plants in thumb-pots, are laden with bloom. It produces as freely as a "Fuchsia" its dazzling rosy crimson flowers, lasting so long in perfection, and produced in smallest pots, under all conditions in amazing profusion.

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Calla, Godfrey. One of the most refined and beautiful types of the whole Arum family. Flowers as white as snow, very smooth and velvety in texture and of perfect form. This splendid Calla is extremely

BROWALIA GIGANTEA.

free in blooming. In our houses last winter, this new variety gave us double the number of blooms as did the old standard "Ethiopica." Added to this they bloom very early, and are dwarf, bushy growers.

Price 20 cts. each; large plants 50 cts.

Cyclamen, Persicum Gigantum. Flowers of very large size; an improvement on older sort. An extra fine strain; two colors, red and white; fine plants.

Price 20 and 30 cts.

Pennisetum Rupplianum. An elegant new ornamental grass, throwing up graceful drooping purple heads in great profusion. Fine where a graceful airy border is wanted and especially fine for Price 10 cts.; 75 cts. per doz. edging Canna beds.

Cyperus Alternifolius, Umbrella Plant. An ornamental plant throwing up stems about two feet high, surmounted by a whorl of leaves diverging horizontally, giving it a very curious appearance. Splendid for the center of vases, or as a water plant; also a fine pot plant. Price 10 cts.; larger 25 cts.

Coleus. We have a fine assortment of the most showy and distinct varieties. Can furnish the best Price 10 cts.; 3 for 25, 6 for 40, 12 for 75 cts. varieties either for hedding or for fancy coloring.

Daisy, Giant White or Mammoth Paris Daisy. A new, large flowering, semi-double variety of the true "Marguerite" of the Paris markets; large, pure white flowers; three inches in diameter, with a double row of petals surrounding the golden yellow disc. It is a vast improvement, in size of flower, on the old "Marguerite," being twice as large and more numerous petals; lasting longer. Price 10 cts.

Daisy, Perle d'Or. New golden "Marguerite," similar to above, except color, which is a beautiful light yellow, ever blooming.

Daisy, Snow Crest. Double white English Daisy. A most distinct variety and an improvement on all existing sorts. Its habit of growth and size of flowers, in comparison with older varieties, is gigantic. The flowers which are borne on stout, stiff stems from six to ten inches long, are of the purest white and full to the center. When fully developed they rise to a conical or sugar-loaf form, and well grown specimens will cover a silver dollar. It makes an admirable hardy garden plant or may be forced for cut flowers under the same treatment as Violets. Price 10 cts.

Forget-me-not, Perfection. This is the great winter sort, being grown extensively for cut flowers in all parts of the country. If treated the same as Violets will produce a profusion of lovely sky blue flowers all winter.

Price 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.

Farfugium Grande. A low growing foliage plant, remarkable for its shiny, dark green, leathery foliage, which is irregularly blotched and spotted with bright yellow, and sometimes with white and rose. Easily grown, and a native of China; not a new plant, but not as well known as it should be, as it is a splendid window plant. Give plenty of water when in growing condition. Price 25 cts.

Feverfew, Little Gem. The great value of the old "Dwarf Feverfew" for cut flowers during the summer and fall is well known to florists and others. This variety which we now offer surpasses it in every way, It is very dwarf, attaining a height of only twelve inches. The flowers are larger, of more perfect form and of the purest white.

Price 10 cts.; 3 for 25 cts.; 12 for 75 cts.

Freesia, Refracta Alba. Too much cannot be said of this beautiful bulb for forcing. Pure white, tube-shaped flowers, having a most delicious perfume. A beautiful house plant, and grows easily in any good, rich, sandy soil. Flowers will keep two weeks after opening. One of the few Christmas flowers, and as soon as better known will be one of the most popular holiday decorations; also it will be grown in large quantities by florists for cut flowers. Bulbs should be treated the same as



winter-flowering Oxalis, i. e., kept in dry earth or sand until August, then potted off, three to six bulbs in a six-inch pot; these will bloom in December or January. Later potted, will of course, bloom later. Like Oxalis, the bulbs increase rapidly. Price, fine large bulbs, 12 for 20 cts.; small bulbs, 10 cts. per doz.

Genista Racemosa, Golden Shower. A beautiful yellow flowering, shrubby plant, flowering so freely as to literally cover the plant with its rich, golden flowers, hence the name "Golden Shower," Grown in large quantities by florists for Easter decoration, and is very easy of cultivation by the amateur.

Price 10 cts.; larger, 25 cts. and 50 cts.

Jasmine, Night Blooming. A beautiful, tender, shrubby plant, blooming nearly all the year round. It is a native of Chili and a very rapid grower, the foliage being long and of a deep green, producing exquisitely fragrant flowers at every joint, the fragrance being diffused at night only.

Jasmine, Grand Duke. A splendid new introduction. This new Jasmine is very easily grown, small plants often bearing a profusion of very double creamy white blossoms, with an exquisite perfume. It is a splendid plant, and will become very popular when better known.

Jasmine, Maid of Orleans. Another splendid new sort, with good sized double flowers, blooming profusely all summer. Has a shining, pale green foliage, and the double white flowers have a delicious perfume.

Justicia, Velutina. This new dwarf Justicia begins to bloom when the plant has only three or four leaves, and is never out of flower afterward. If pinched back occasionally it makes a very dwarf, stocky plant, frequently covered with twenty to fifty large pink flower-heads, lasting a long time. The foliage is also most persistent and highly ornamental, being heavy in texture and very velvety.

Price 15 cts.



MARANTA ZEBRINA.

Orange, Otaheite. It is not an uncommon thing to see little cutting plants five or six inches in height, full of bloom, and even bearing one or two medium-sized oranges. The fruit at their best are not more than half the size of an ordinary orange, but are very bright and beautiful in color and delicious in quality; but it is for its flowers more than its fruit which commends it to general cultivation. When it blooms it is so full that it seems to be all flowers. The pure waxy white blossoms emit a delicate, yet powerful fragrance; surpassed by no other flower. Price, 1-year plants, 20 cts.; 2-year plants in fruit or blossom, 50 and 75 cts. each.

Orange, Kumquat (or Kin Kan). This comes from Japan where it is known as "Kin Kan," which means gold orange. The foliage is dense and beautiful, and the whole plant assumes a fine shape as a pot plant. The fruit, which is produced in great profusion, is small, about an inch in diameter, and of a rich, golden color. Price 25 cts.

**Pilea**, Artillery Plant. Unique plants with graceful fern-like leaves. Very pretty for vases or baskets, or for edging to flower beds. Price 10 &cs.

**Plumbago**, Capensis. The Plumbagoes are very satisfactory plants, either for pot culture or for the garden.

Justicia, Flava. A grand novelty, similar in growth and habit to above, but covered for months in succession with splendid large feathery clusters of pure yellow flowers surmounting dark velvety green foliage. Very rare and handsome, and a good bloomer.

Price 20 cts.

Lobelia. A bushy, free flowering plant, very nice as a basket or for edges of vases and window boxes; flowers blue. Does best in partially shaded location. Price 10 cts.

Lemon, Ponderosa or American Wonder. This is truly a wonder. The handsome plants grow quite rapidly, making pretty shapely plants which produce exceedingly handsome lemons, which can be used the same as ordinary lemons. The dark green foliage is very large and handsome, and the pure, waxy flowers with yellow stamens are nearly as fragrant as orange blossoms, which they resemble. The fruit which succeeds the blossoms is truly immense in size. Price 20 cts.; larger plants in fruit or blossom, 50 cts. each.

Maranta Zebrina. A very beautiful foliage plant, fine glossy leaves of a bright green. Elegantly blotched with a dark bronze green. A plant of remarkable beauty. Does best in partially shaded location.

Price 15 and 25 cts.



OTAHEITE ORANGE.

They are constant bloomers and their delicate and graceful flowers are very useful for cutting. "Capensis" has abundant clusters of the most beautiful pale blue flowers, a shade seldom met with. Price 15 cts.

Ruellia, Makoyana. This new plant forms a graceful, branching subject, one of the principal attractions of which is a beautiful velvety foliage, with the upper surface of a rich olive-green, shading to purple, relieved with prominent silvery-white midrib and veins. The under side, however, is a bright purplish wine color. It is one of the most brilliant flowering plants, specimens having been shown measuring thirty inches across, and carrying more than three hundred flowers open at one time. Price 10 cts.

Strobilanthes, Dyerianus. The undulation on the surface of the foliage is furnished with a bluish metallic hue, shading into light rose with a light green margin. It surpasses the finest Coleus or Begonia in the exquisite coloring of the leaves, besides which the racemes of violet blossoms with which the plant is covered in mid-winter greatly enhances its beauty.

Price 10 cts.

Sanseveria, Zealanica. A beautiful plant, splendidly adapted for the decoration of drawing-rooms and halls, as it stands drought and dust with impunity. The leaves grow to a length of three to four feet, and are beautifully striped crosswise with broad, white variegations on a dark green ground. It is a rare and beautiful plant which should be abundantly grown for positions out of the reach of sunlight where other plants will not thrive.

Price 10 cts.; larger, 25 cts.

**Swainsonia**, Galegifolia Alba. Pure white. Desirable ever-blooming plant with flowers produced in sprays from twelve to twenty flowers each, the individual blooms resembling a Sweet Pea. A fine decorative plant for the window or conservatory. Its easy culture, growing in almost any light position, its freedom of bloom, rarely ever being out of bloom, and the grace and beauty of the flower and plant will make this one of the most popular plants in cultivation.

Price 10 &ts.

Swainsonia, Elegans. Same as above in every respect, except color of flowers which is a rich wine color.

Price 10 cts.

Stevia, Nana. An improvement on "Stevia Compacta;" similar in every respect except in height, which is considerably less than the old variety, which makes it more desirable. This variety is much used by florists, furnishing an abundance of fine white flowers at Christmas time.

Price 10 cts.

#### HARDY PERENNIALS.

This class of plants is receiving more and more attention each year and deservedly so, for their ease of culture, permanency and wealth of bloom appeals to a large class who desire masses of flowers for the minimum of care and attention. Each year they continue to bloom with added beauty, and by a judicious selection you can have the most varied of Nature's floral productions during the entire season. All the varieties which we list are of the easiest culture and after once planted require no farther attention than annual liberal enrichment, but however most varieties are benefited by being divided about once in every three or four years and the divisions reset. Further than this they require scarcely any attention.

**Platycodon Grandiflorum.** One of the very best perennial plants; in constant flower from early spring to late fall. It forms dense clumps which are covered with a mass of bell-shaped flowers. Fine for cemetery, for garden or for cutting. Roots are hardy as a Pæony.

Price 15 cts.

Primrose, New Giant Hardy, Primula Veris Superba. This is one of the good new things that occasionally turn up by chance. The plant originated a few years since in a batch of seedling Polyanthus, and apparently is a hybrid Primrose having somewhat the growth of a Polyanthus combined with the yellow color and fragrance of the English Primrose. In size of flower, it is fully three times as large as any other hardy Primrose, the average size of the flower being over one inch across with individual trusses of bloom six inches in diameter. It is hardy, growing from ten to twelve inches high, and begins to flower earlier and continues to bloom longer than any other plant of the same family. Should become very popular. (See cut).

Price 20 cts.

Pyrethrum Uliginosum, Giant Daisy. A grand fall blooming plant, growing five feet high, and covered with large white flowers with yellow centers. Needs a moist, rich soil, and should be in every garden. No hardy plants in



NEW GIANT HARDY PRIMROSE.

our grounds receive so much praise as this fine Daisy, growing as it does, from five to seven feet high, and forming in short time a clump from two to five feet across; beautiful as an ornamental plant; also fine for cutting. Should be in every collection.

Price 15 &ts.

#### HARDY PHLOX.

We rank these as amongst the most important perennials, succeeding as they do, in almost any position, and flowering from early summer until late in the fall. The wealth, size of bloom and range of colors of the newer improved varieties will surprise those who have been acquainted only with the old-fashioned sorts. The beauty and showiness of these new Phloxes can hardly be exceeded by any other flowers.

Huxley. An odd and beautiful new variety. Color is a violet purple, with a large center of pure white, forming a beautiful star. A large truss. Coquelicot. An exceedingly brilliant new variety, being the brightest Phlox yet introduced. It is a bright orange scarlet, almost the exact shade of an oriental poppy, a bed of this variety making a most dazzling show. Josephine Gerbeaux. Flowers are of the very largest size and most exquisite coloring, pure white with very large center of the most brilliant pinkish carmine. One of our choicest varieties. Price, any of above varieties, 20 cts. each.

Esperance. One of the freest bloomers and one of the most beautiful, being a lovely shade of light lavender pink with large white eye. A fine early bloomer. Lumineux. An exceedingly large flower, of a brilliant, lovely shade of bright rosy pink with deep carmine eye, base of petals being slightly marked with white. An early and very free bloomer. Marie Stuart. White with very pale pink eye, the earliest blooming Phlox which we have, blooming as early as the first of June and continuing during the entire month. Aurora Boreale. This superb variety has an extra large flower and truss and is very free blooming. Color is a rosy salmon with dark crimson eye. A fine variety in every way.

Queen. Pure snowy white and a very profuse bloomer. Begins to bloom last of July and remains in bloom a long time. Very fine.



Price, any of above varieties, 15 cts. each.

Rudbeckia, Golden Glow (new double). A glorious new plant, and one that will find a place in every garden here and abroad; of fine habit, vigorous growth, with early, continuous and immense blooming qualities; it will be found excellent also for cut flower purposes, inasmuch as the stems are long, and often carry a dozen flowers furnished with beautiful foliage. A large vase filled with these flowers is a beautiful sight. One of the most distinct and beautiful large growing hardy perennials that have been introduced for years. In our grounds the past season it proved a great attraction, and we recommend it to our customers as a plant of great value. Hardy, of strong growth, long time in bloom, with flowers like large golden balls. We pronounce it one of the most satisfactory plants we have ever helped to introduce. (See cut). Price 10 cts.; extra strong, 25 cts.

Tritoma Pfitzeri, Flame Flower. A grand improvement on the old "Tritoma." The flower spikes which are produced with considerable more freedom than in the old variety, are of gigantic size, frequently four and one half feet high, with heads of bloom over twelve inches long. They are of a rich crimson-scarlet, shading to salmon-rose on the edge.

A splendid new acquisition, making a striking display.

RUDBECKIA.

Price 20 cts.

Foxglove. (Ivery's New Spotted.) Indispensable in any collection of hardy herbaceous shrubbery, the bright foliage and stately, showy spikes of bloom producing a fine effect. These new hybrids are the most improved varieties to date, comprising an endless variety of colors.

Pinks, Hardy Garden or Clove. The old-fashioned hardy Pinks that bloom in May and early June. Perfectly hardy, the plants being covered with great quantities of sweet scented flowers with strong clove fragrance. Variabilis. Variegated rose, maroon and white, with broad white margin. Abbottsford. Deep carmine pink, edges of petals white. Juliette. White, deeply fringed flower, base of petals purplish Price 10 cts. each, 3 for 25 cts. carmine.

Astilbe, Chinensis. Very hardy and the finest Astilbe yet produced. The immense, yet graceful and airy sprays of a new delicate flesh-color are produced in immense profusion, literally covering the plants with flowers. The handsome, dark green foliage adds effective color for cutting purposes, for Price 15 cts. which it will certainly be grown extensively.

Achillea, The Gem (or Pearl). One of the most popular hardy plants. The blooming quality of this splendid novelty is something remarkable, flowering in great profusion the first summer, while the second season it will bloom three to five times as much; is entirely hardy, and will last for years. The flowers, which are borne upon erect footstalks, are of the finest white, and closely resemble a "Pompon Chrysanthemum." Succeeds anywhere. Fine for borders, cut flowers, or for cemetery planting. Price 10 cts.

Dialetra, Spectabilis (Bleeding Heart). One of the best known perennials, with graceful, drooping racemes of heart-shaped flowers of rosy crimson and silvery white. Blooming in spring and early summer.

Price, extra strong roots, 30 cts.; small, 10 cts.

Funkia, Day Lily. A handsome, showy plant, with beautiful, large broad leaves. Flowers large, pure waxy white, borne in large trusses. Very fragrant. Price 20 cts.

Gysophila, Baby Breath. A beautiful old-fashioned perennial, possessing a grace not found in any other perennial, and attracting the eye of everyone. When in bloom it forms a symmetrical mass of minute pure white flowers, forming a beautiful gauze-like appearance. For cutting purposes it is exquisite, especially in combination with high-colored flowers.

Price 15 cts.

Hollyhock, Alleghany. This grand new race has mammoth flowers most of them measuring five inches or over across. No one can imagine the beauty and brilliancy of the blossoms without seeing them. The fringed flowers are of such delicate transparent texture that they have the appearance of being made of crushed silk.

Price fine roots, 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.

Hollyhock. Superb Double. These are the superb Chater's strain. Magnificent flowers, perfectly double. Ours are the finest strain to be had.

Price 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.

Hemerocallis Kwanso flore plena, Double Crown Day Lily. A perfectly double flowering sort; a profuse bloomer. The flowers are produced in clusters; they are of a bright orange-yellow, and each petal is marked with a large crimson blotch, forming a circle around the flower. Has an elegant grassy foliage, and handsome, deliciously fragrant flowers. They are perfectly hardy, and thrive in almost any kind of soil, preferring one that is rich, moist, and in an open situation.

Price 20 cfts.

Helianthus Multiflorus, Double Dwarf Sunflower. It is a great addition to our hardy plants. Its dark, golden-yellow color is both fashionable and beautiful for cut flowers; grows from three to five feet in height; never fails to flower the first year of planting. Do not be prejudiced against this plant because it is only a "Sunflower." Give it a trial, you will be delighted to find how beautiful it is. It is a hardy Perennial, coming up every year, but in extreme North it will need protection or can be taken up like Canna and Dahlias, and kept in cellar.

Price 15 &s.

Iris Kæmpferii, Japanese Iris. These are among the most beautiful of hardy plants and cannot fail to please the most fastidious. Their peculiar and quaint markings can be better imagined than described. They are exceedingly showy and last a long time in bloom. Some are self-colored, while others are marbled and tinted with different shades. The race is perfectly hardy and very easily grown. They require a good rich soil. White, white tinted lavender, blue, etc.

Price each, 15 cts.

Monarda, Didyma, (also known as Bee Palm, Oswego Tea, Horse Mint, etc). A sweet scented herb with crimson flower heads. Excellent for border and cutting. In flower three months. Extremely hardy and very showy.

Price 10 cts.

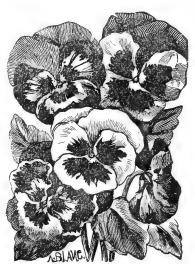
**Pæonies.** These beautiful flowers are beginning to receive the attention they richly deserve. No plants will yield so rich a return for small care as these beautiful garden favorites. Planted in masses or singly they make a rich effect. After once planted they need no further care then occasional culture and enrichment. Perfectly hardy everywhere. Three colors, crimson, pink and white. Price 25 cts. each.

#### PANSIES.

Pansy, Trimardeau. A distinct and beautiful new race, the flowers of which are of very large size, and the plants may be expected to produce many of the beautiful shades of color that are found in other classes of this popular plant. The true "Trimardeau" Pansies of French origin, seed much less freely than any other class. Price, in fine mixed colors, large transplanted plants, 50 cts. per doz., express only; smaller for mailing, 50 cts. per doz.; postpaid; seed, 10 cts.

Pansy, Bugnot's Superb. This is the most famous of all the fancy strains, being blotched, stained and veined in unsurpassable beauty and variety of coloring. Price, 3 for 20 cts.; 12 for 60 cts.; seed, 25 cts. per pktof about fifty seeds.

Pansy, German Strain. In many of the finest colors; no other strain equals it for great variety of shades and blending of colors. This Pansy blooms very freely. For variety, see collection Pansy seed. Sold only in mixed lots. Price, large plants, 12 for 30 cts.; smaller for mailing, 12 for 25 cts.; 25 for 50 cts.



Pansy, Mad. Perret. This strain is characterized by extreme vigor and hardiness, the leaves being of a distinctive dark green color and the whole plant having a very stocky appearance. Colors range about the same as in our Trimardeau strain, comprising a large variety of colors.

Price 50 cts. per doz.

Our Pansies comprise an endless variety of coloring and combinations, and we can recommend them as being the equal of any on the market. We can also furnish separate colors where so desired for bedding at same prices as for the "German" strain.

#### HARDY VINES.

Ampelopsis Veitchi, Boston Ivy. Grows rapidly as the old "Virginia Creeper," and attains a height of fifty feet. It clings firmly to any wall, tree, etc. The leaves are small on young plants, which at first are of an olive green-brown color, changing to bright scarlet in the autumn. As the plant acquires age the leaves increase in size. It is without question one of the very best climbing plants for covering brick or stone walls.

Price, small, 15 cts.; strong plants, 3-year, 40 cts.

Ampelopsis Quinquefolia, Virginia Creeper. A very rapid grower, with large, dark green foliage, which changes in the fall to scarlet. A very desirable vine for covering arbors, verandas, etc. Extremely hardy.

Price small, 10 ct.; large, 25 to 50 cts.



CLEMATIS PANICULATA.

Clematis Paniculata, Japanese Virgins' Bower. One of the most beautiful of our hardy flowering vines. The flowers are pure white, and are borne in great panicles or clusters of bloom, fairly covering the plant, so that it is a mass or sheet of fleecy white. These clusters are borne on long, slender stems, which stand out boldly from between the glossy green leaves. The fragrance is delicious, resembling the "English Hawthorn" blossoms, and is so subtle and penetrating that a large plant in bloom. will fill the air with fragrance. It begins to bloom late in August or early in September, at a time when

most other hardy climbers are out of bloom. It is perfectly hardy in all sections of the country, and we can unhesitatingly say that it is, in our opinion, the most valuable among hardy climbing vines.

Price, 2-year, 25 cts.; extra, 3-year, 40 cts.

Wisteria, Sinensis. A magnificent climber, with a rich foliage, and long racemes of very fragrant, lilac flowers.

Price, extra large plants, 50 cts.; small, by mail, 20 cts.

Honeysuckle, Halliana. One of the sweetest and most beautiful Honeysuckles; flowers buff-yellow, passing to white, deliciously sweet.

Price 15 cts. each; strong roots, 30 cts.

**Dutchman's Pipe**, Aristolochia Sipho. A magnificent hardy vine of rapid growth, with very large, heart-shaped leaves, and brownish flowers resembling a miniature pipe. Splendid for verandas, etc.

Price to the

#### BEDDING PLANTS IN QUANTITY.

Alyssum, Sweet, Double Tom Thumb or Mammoth, Ageratum, blue and white,

Achyranthes,

Asters, all varieties, assorted or separate colors,

Cannas, strong pot plants, 10 to 20 inches high, all colors,

Cannas, strong dormant roots, all colors,

Coleus, best bedding varieties,

Carnations, assorted or separate colors,

Geraniums, double or single, all colors,

Feverfew, double white,

Heliotrope, Mrs Burgess, purple,

Lobelia, blue,

Pansies, assorted or separate colors,

Petunias, Single, mixed,

Salvias, Scarlet Sage, four varieties,

Verbenas, assorted or separate colors,

Price, 50 cts. per doz. Price, 60 cts. per doz. Price, 60 cts. per doz. Price, 40 cts. per doz. Price, \$2.00 per doz. Price, \$1.00 per doz. Price, 75 cts. per doz. Price, \$1.00 per doz. Price, \$1.00 per doz. Price, 60 cts. per doz. Price, 75 cts. per doz. Price, 60 cts. per doz. Price, 50 cts. per doz. Price, 50 cts. per doz. Price, 75 cts. per doz. Price, 60 cts. per doz.

Above are strong healthy plants for bedding out, from 2 1-4 or 3 inch pots. Prices of above are net with no discount or premiums and all must be sent by express at these prices. If in want of extra large plants we would be pleased to quote prices.

# Seed Department.

In the rapid and growing taste for flowers, the seedsman has been a most important factor, supplying at moderate cost hundreds of varieties in annuals and hardy perennials for open air culture, as well as finer and more tender sorts for the house and greenhouse. The following seeds which we offer our customers, have been grown by ourselves or by experts in this country, France, Germany, or wherever the most favorable conditions are found to develop perfect flowers, and we feel assured in saying that no seedsman can offer more fresh or finer strains than can be furnished by us, as we know ours are as good as the best, and much better than large quantities which are placed on the market each season. We would also call attention to the fact that with our greenhouse facilities we are enabled to test the germinating qualities of each variety. Our test is the soil test, that is, we take a sample of each kind of our seed and this is sown inside in the soil, and if it does not come up to our high standard for germinating qualities, it is discarded. This soil test is the only true test for germination. Hence we know that our seed will under fair conditions give to the buyer perfect satisfaction.

#### COLLECTION PACKETS.

This name has been given to a certain line of seed which the firm has sold for upwards of thirty years, with increasing sales each year. We put up collection packets in the following varieties, each of which will be found described under their proper heads in the seed department, viz: Asters, Pansies, Dwarf Nasturtiums, Chinese Primula (Single), Verbenas, Petunias, Dianthus, Phlox Drummondii and Ten Weeks' Stock. By our plan, taking Collection Packet Pansies as an example of all the other kinds, we take an EQUAL number of seed of THIRTY SEPARATE VARIETIES of Pansies, and put these together in one packet and then seal. The advantage of this plan over a promiscuous mixture of seed is plain, as by our plan you get EQUAL QUANTITIES of ALL the varieties, and not an excess of some particular varieties as in the mixtures. And not only this, but our seed in these packets is the very choicest, no better is to be obtained at any price. Our collections if bought in separate packages, each kind or color by itself, would cost customers at 10 cents per paper from \$1.00 to \$2.50. We know of no other plan by which so large a quantity of first-class seed can be sold for so small an amount of money. New customers are requested to give this class of seed a trial.

## A PRIZE OFFER.

We wish to introduce our Collection Packets to the notice of those who have never used them before; knowing if we can once get new customers to try them, we shall have no trouble in selling them again.

We will give therefore to the person who sells for us the largest number of Collection Packets before July 1, 1903,

## A Present of an Elegant Silver Set,

composed of Cream Ladle, Sugar Shell and Butter Knife put up in an elegant satin lined box. This is not cheap ware, but "1847" Roger Bros. best quality A I silver plate, which everywhere stands for high quality. The names of all purchasers of the Collection Packets must be sent in with the orders, and seed will be mailed directly to them.

Aquelegia or Columbine. Superfine, mixed. These charming plants are perfectly hardy, and form large clumps bearing innumerable flowers through May and June. Our mixture is a fine one, ranging in colors from pure white, pale blue, deep blue, purple, yellow, variegated, scarlet tipped with green and innumerable variations. Both double and single included in the mixture. Price 10 cts.

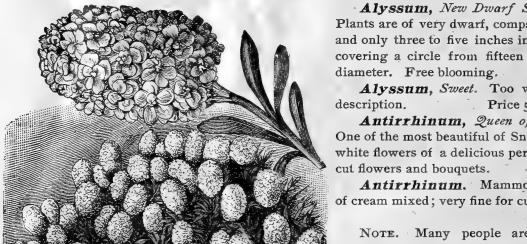
Aquelegia, Chrysantha Nana Alba. Early blooming, dwarf growing, white or "Decoration Day Flower." Price 10 cts.

Aquelegia, Chrysantha (Golden Spurred Columbine). A beautiful variety; flowers bright yellow, produced freely all summer; very hardy. Price 10 cts.

Arcotis Grandis (new). A remarkably handsome, branching annual, two to three feet high. The handsome flowers are large and showy, being borne on long stems. The petals are pure white with a narrow yellow zone at their base, the reverse of the petals being a pale lilac blue. The disc is light blue with slightly projecting white stamens, altogether a most lovely flower. Price 10 cts.

Abrus Precatorious, or Weather Plant. This wonderful "Weather Plant" of the West India Islands, is now successfully cultivated in gardens. It has a very beautiful foliage and blossoms, and it is claimed that the state of the weather may be told for some time in advance by the positions the leaves assume. Seeds bright scarlet, very beautiful and very hard. Soak well in warm water before sowing.

Price 10 cts.



LITTLE GEM ALYSSUM.

Alyssum, New Dwarf Sweet (Little Gem). Plants are of very dwarf, compact, spreading habit, and only three to five inches in height, each plant covering a circle from fifteen to thirty inches in Price 5 cts.

Alyssum, Sweet. Too well known to need Price 5 cts.; oz. 15 cts.

Antirrhinum, Queen of the North (new). One of the most beautiful of Snapdragons. Large, white flowers of a delicious perfume. Elegant for Price 5 cts.

Antirrhinum. Mammoth white and shades of cream mixed; very fine for cutting.

Price 10 cts.

Note. Many people are not aware of the great value of Antirrhinums for cut flowers. We advise a trial of the above from those who have never grown them.

Candytuft, Giant Hyacinth Flowered. This grand new kind is far superior to that well known kind, "Empress," heretofore the best of its class. The flower heads are of immense size sometimes six inches long and three inches across resembling a "Dutch Hyacinth." Price 10 cts. per packet; 1-4 oz. 25 cts.

Candytuft, Fragrant White. White, fragrant; fine for bouquets.

Candytuft, Empress. Produces large trusses of pure white flowers; assumes, when in full bloom, a beautiful tree form; very fine.

Candytuft, Rocket. Large umbels of pure white flowers.

Candytuft, Dark Red. Fine for cutting, a strong grower.

Candytuft. New, dwarf hybrids, mixed; new and very effective.

Price 5 cts. per packet for each of above five sorts.

Candytuft. All sorts mixed.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Campanula. A wonderful fine class of hardy perennials well suited to any kind of soil. Seed from the most select varieties only. Finest mixed. Price 10 cts.

Campanula, Persicafolia, (Angel Bells). Pure white; extra.

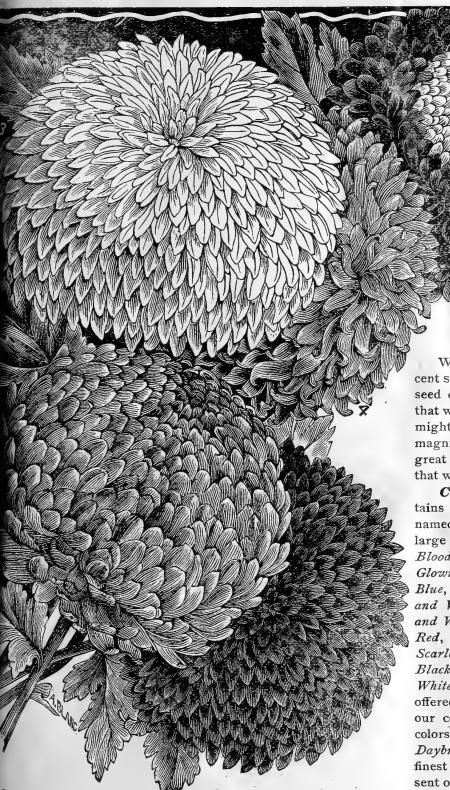
Price 10 cts.

Centaurea Imperialis, Royal Sweet Sultans (new). A new type obtained by crossing "Centaurea Marguerite" with another variety. The plant is very vigorous and produces the large flowers in great profusion. The flowers are borne on long stems, the petals being finely fringed, giving a soft, feathery effect. Colors range from white through rosy pink and lilac to a dark purple. Price 10 cts.

New Cosmos, Rainbow or California Hybrids. This is a wonderful new mixture of this dainty flower. There are many charming new combinations, white, blush, pale pink and mauve, exquisitely flecked, flushed and marked with deeper colors: white with a lavender or red ring around the eye, charming flowers with a lovely aureole around the center of the flower, with plain, lacinated or fringed petals. The combinations are so varied that it is hard to describe them.

Cosmos, Dawn. This variety comes into full flower in July or August very dwarf, compact growth; Price 10 cts. flowers are large and a beautiful white, relieved by a delicate tint of rose.

#### ASTERS.



We take special pride in our magnificent strain of this noble flower. No better seed can be procured in the country than that which we offer. If we had space we might quote many testimonials as to the magnificence of our strains, but we are sure great pleasure and value will be found in that which we offer.

Collection Packet Asters. Contains equal quantities each of the below named varieties of Truffaut's Perfection, large flowered; Snow White, Rose, Dark Blood Red, Light Blue. Black-Blue, Glowing Dark Crimson, White and Black-Blue, Rose and White, Carmine, Carmine and White, Crimson Ball, Dark Crimson and White, Dark Red and White, Victoria Red, Lilac Red and White, Violet, Dark Scarlet and White, Violet and White, Black-Blue and White, Light Blue and White. The finest collection of Asters ever offered. We shall this season include in our collection seed of Giant Comet, (three colors,) Semple's Branching, (three colors,) Daybreak and Ostrich Plume, making the finest packet of Asters for this price ever sent out. Price 15 cts.

Thousands of the above collection packets have been sold up to the present year at 25 cts. each. We have decided to reduce the price to 15 cts. and expect to very largely increase our sales.

Asters, Prize Fancy. We are enabled, this season, to place within reach of any of our customers, at a moderate expense, the finest assortment of Fancy Asters ever offered in one package. These are selected by us, the fancy shades from the various classes of large flowering Asters, and then combined in one package, over thirty different shades and colors. We think Aster seed has never been offered by any seedsmen, combining so many shades in one package. It will please customers to be able to procure so large a variety at so small a cost.

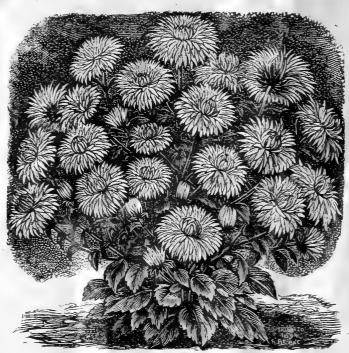
Price 15 cts.

Sunlight (new). A true yellow Aster. We have had many approaches to a yellow Aster, but never before have we had one of a truly yellow color. The flowers are of noble form, produced in the greatest profusion. Flowers three to four inches in diameter and produced on long stems. A fine new introduction which will quickly become a favorite.

Price 10 cts.

Hohenzollern (new). A tall stately variety bearing enormous flowers of pure white on long stems.

Price 10 cts.



SEMPLE'S: ASTER.

Mary Semple. New Chrysanthemumflowered Aster, of a beautiful shade of pale pink, the finest late variety we have ever grown. Price 10 cts.

Semple's White. Similar to above only pure white. Price 10 cts.

Semple's Lavender. A pleasing shade of light lavender. Price 10 cts.

Semple's Crimson. Fine crimson. Price 10 cts.

Semple's Mixed. Mixed seed above four sorts. Price 10 cts.

For size of bloom, freedom of flowering and other good qualities, the above Semple's Branching Asters are unexcelled. Do notfail to include them in your order.

Corcordeau (or Crown). These are a strikingly unique Aster, having a white center bordered by some rich color, making an effective and charming contrast. Flowers very double. Price 10 cts.

Victoria Needle. One of the finest of the quilled Asters. Price 10 cts.

Dwarf Chrysanthemum-Flowered. A splendid race of dwarf, compact habit, nine inches in height; flowers; large and produced freely. Price 5 cts.

Dwarf Pyramidal Bouquet. Grows only about one foot high, growing in bouquet shape; Price to cts. mixed colors.

Mignon. Flowers small to medium in size, a profuse bloomer. One of the most desirable kinds; fine for cutting. Price, mixed, 10 cts.; pure white, 10 cts.

Giant Comet. A beautiful and distinct class with long, curled and twisted petals like "Japanese Chrysanthemums," exceedingly graceful for vase and table decorations. Colors, pink, white, blue and mixed. Price each sort 10 cts.

Lilliput. A miniature Aster growing about eight inches high. Very profuse blooming. Mixed.

Price 10 cts.

Vick's Branching. A largely advertised white Aster, quite similar to "Semple's White." Price 10 cts.

German Quilled. Double quilled flowers, mixed colors.

Price 5 cts.

Aster. All sorts mixed. This will suit the children. Many kinds, lots of colors, large packages, good and cheap. Price 5 cts.

Columbus, N. Y., A c.—L. P. Butler & Co. Sirs: I have grown your Semple's Asters several years, and everyone thinks them the most beautiful ones they ever saw.

Very truly, D. M. LARCHAR,



GIANT COMET ASTER.

New Victoria (Large Flowered). It is impossible to speak too highly of this magnificently imbricated Aster. The blossoms are large and distinguished by an elegant and regular overlapping of the petals, thus giving to the flowers a distinctive character. The growth is an elegant pyramid, and each plant grows from twenty to forty flowers. The colors include many extremely delicate and most gorgeous Price, finest mixed, 10 cts.; pure white, 10 cts. shades. Also variegated.

Rose Flowered. The flowers are large and double, the outer petals finely recurved and the inner ones incurved like a rose; two feet in height; extra choice mixed. A splendid Aster, fine for cutting.

Price 10 cts.

Daybreak (new). A splendid new Aster of merit. Flowers are as round as a ball, large and full, produced on long stems. Color is an exquisite shade of shell pink, like a Daybreak Carnation, magnificent for cut flowers. It is an early and free bloomer, and is worthy of a place in every garden. Price 10 cts.

Purity (new). An exact counterpart of above, only glistening snow-white in color. Price 10 cts.

Truffaut's Perfection. This improved Perfection Aster is now acknowledged as among the finest for ornamental beds, for cutting purposes or for exhibition, being of strong growth, large bloom, which is extra double, and of fine form. (See also Collection Packet). The above in following colors separate, viz: Snow White, Blood Red, Pink or Blue. Price, either color, 10 cts.

Truffaut's Perfection. Many colors, extra fine, mixed. Truffaut's Perfection. Good quality, mixed.

Price 10 cts.

Price 5 cts.

Lady in White. The leaves in this variety are of a long and very narrow shape, giving to the plants an extremely graceful appearance, and relieves them of that stiffness common to some other classes

· Princess. One of the finest Asters. Resembling a white Lilliput Dahlia. In form they are semispherical and composed of quite short and very thickly set imbricated petals. They remain longer in good condition than any others. Snowball (white), Rosalind (pink) or mixed. Price each, 10 cts.

Sinensis. The single flowering Asters of our grandmothers in many fine colors. At this time single flowers are having a great many admirers. Price 5 cts.

Ostrich Plume. A magnificent new Aster of the Comet type, with flowers of immense size, the petals being wavy and twisted, giving the flowers a soft "fluffy" appearance. An elegant variety which must be seen to be appreciated. White, pink or mixed. Price, either color, 10 cts.

Centaurea, Marguerite. This is entirely distinct from all other "Centaureas" and the most beautiful variety known. The large flowers are of purest white, also in tints of lavender, pink and lemon, deliciously scented, exquisitely laciniated, and freely produced on long stems. Price 10 cts.

Chrysanthemum. Showy and effective garden favorites. Also now extensively grown for cut flowers. No place is complete without them. The annual sorts bloom the first season. The perennial varieties are very fine for out-door bloom, or for pot culture, blooming in October and November. The seed will produce single, semi-double and double flowers in great variety of colors. Price, finest mixed annual sorts, 5 cts.; fine perennial sorts, 10 cts.; finest perennial sorts, extra fine, 20 cts.

Carnation, Mad. Guillaud. In this, we have the best yellow Carnation that will bloom from seed in from four to six months. The flowers are very large and double, borne on long, stiff stems, and clear golden yellow, very handsome in color and form.

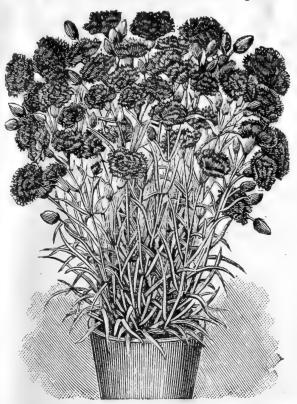
Carnation, Marguerite (Improved). A new class of Carnations that are without exception the most abundant bloomers of all the Pinks. The flowers are of brilliant colors, ranging through many beautiful shades of reds, pinks, white, variegations, etc.; and are of perfect form and large size. They bloom in about four months after sowing the seeds. They can be potted and taken in the house and will flower through the winter. They come from fifty to eighty per cent double. Price, finest mixed, 10 cts.; pure white, 10 cts.

Carnation, Grenadin. A new hardy, dwarf sort; very fine for garden culture; a profuse bloomer. Either white, red or mixed. Price 25 cts. each.

Carnation, Hardy Garden. From flowers of excellent quality. The finest mixed, hardy garden Pinks; will live in open ground without protection. : 78

Carnation, Chabaud's Double Perpetual. This new Carnation grows from sixteen to twenty inches high. Flower stems are covered with large, handsome, very double flowers in every variety of color. It blooms in about seven months after being sown, and continues to flower in the greatest profusion. Price 25 cts.

Carnation, Perpetual or Tree. Seed saved from the collection of the most celebrated growers in the world. Not hardy. For pot culture only. A splendid variety of colors. Price 25 cts.



MARGUERITE CARNATION.

Calceolaria, Hybrida Tigrida. Spotted. Seed saved from the best collection in Europe; extra Price 25 cts.

Cineraria, Hybrida Grandiflora. Saved only from extra fine, large flowering, prize varieties. This strain is unsurpassed, having a large variety of colors of fine form.

HAYDENVILLE, MASS., Apr. 17, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Gentlemen: Your garden seeds are ply splendid.

Yours truly,' JESSIE M. BROOKS. simply splendid.



Coreopsis Lanceolata, Perennial Golden Coreopsis. Flowers are each two to three inches or more in diameter, of an intensely clear, golden yellow. Commences to bloom in June, continuing until hard frosts. Not as well known as it should be. Price 10 cts.

Cyclamen, Persicum. Charming, bulbous rooted plants, with beautiful foliage; winter and spring blooming. If the seeds are sown early in the spring, they make flowering bulbs in one season.

Price 15 cts.

Cyclamen, Giganteum. Without exception, the strain offered is in all respects the finest that can be procured. The flowers are of large size and of the finest shades. Extra mixed.

Price 25 cts.

**Dahlia**, Single. Many of the varieties of these Single Dahlias are exceedingly beautiful, and the seed we offer is saved from one of the best collections, and may be expected to produce many superb sorts.

Price 10 cts.

Dahlia, Double. Seed of this strain was saved from the very finest double flowers only, and will produce flowers equal, if not superior, to any in the market. An extra mixed strain imported from Germany.

Price 10 cts.

Dahlia, Gloria (new). This fine new strain produces an endless variety both in size and form of elegant double flowers. All shades and colors are represented as well as variegated and striped. Blooms early and profusely.

Price 15 cts.

Collection Packet Dianthus. Contains equal quantities of seed of each of the following varieties: Diadem, mottled, extra; Heddewigi Hybrids, great variety; Atropurpurea, fine dark shades; Laciniatus, fringed; Striatus, striped varieties; Albus, new, white; Mourning Pink, a new sort, very beautiful; Imperialis, fine double, mixed; Laciniatus Purpurea, a fine variety; Laciniatus Capreo, dwarf. double, beautiful varieties. We shall also add this year two new varieties, Heddewigi Nobilis, beautiful new large flowered varieties; Stellaris, very pretty new star shaped flowers.

The above comprises one of the richest mixtures ever sent out in one package.

Price 15 cts.

Any one of the above varieties in separate packets, price 10 cts.

Dianthus Heddewigi. An elegant mixture. - Price 10 cts.

Dianthus Heddewigi Nobilis, Royal Pinks (new). Splendid, new improved strain of the old fashioned Dianthus Heddewigi, the flowers being of a noble shape and considerably



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larger, three to four inches in diameter. The petals are frilled and fringed, giving the large flower a graceful appearance. The colors are varied bright blood red, carmine and pink and even white. The plants grow vigorous and are very profuse blooming.

Price to cts.

**Daisy**, Delicata (new). This handsome new variety has very double flowers of a rosy white shade with a light purple centre; a rare and lovely color. Fine either for bedding or for cut flowers.

Price 10 cts.

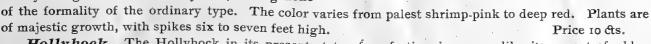
Daisy, Mixed (Bellis Perennis). A favorite plant for beds or for pot culture, in bloom from April to June; seed from the finest double varieties, mixed colors; half-hardy perennial. Price 10 cts.

Daisy, Double White. Extra double, pure white Daisy. Price 10 cts.

Delphinium. Finest hybrids of the double flowering perennial, hardy Larkspurs. Seed saved from named varieties only. Price 15 cts.

Gloxinia, Crassifolia. Varieties mixed. Strong growing kind; splendid large finely shaped flowers, in beautiful colors. Price 25 cts.

Hollyhock, Mammoth Fringed Allegheny. The mammoth flowers are wonderfully formed of loosely arranged fringed petals, which look as if made from the finest China silk, and when cut are hardly recognizable as a Hollyhock, having none of the formality of the ordinary type. The sale



Hollyhock. The Hollyhock in its present state of perfection, is very unlike its parent of olden time. It now ranks with the Dahlia, Aster, Camelia, etc. The flowers are as double as a rose, of many shades of color from deep yellow, red, purple, to white. Hardy perennial, three to five feet. Our seed is from the magnificent Chaters strain. No better can be found. Finest mixed.

Price 10 cts.

Heliotrope. Fine mixture of older sorts.

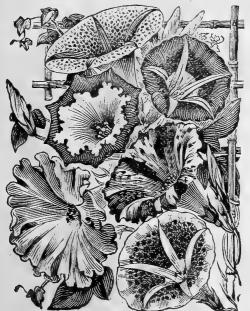
Price 10 cts.

Heliotrope. Lemoine's Giant Hybrids. New varieties with immense heads of blooms. In open ground these have often measured twelve to fifteen inches across. Color from almost white to deep indigo. Very fragrant.

Price 10 cts.

Morning Glory. (Convolvulus). Old-fashioned sorts mixed, still one of the best quick growing climbers. Splendid mixed.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.



IMPERIAL JAPANESE MORNING GLORY.

Morning Glory, Imperial Japanese. These grand new Morning Glories from Japan are remarkable for large size and exquisite new colors of flowers. Magnificent foliage, often beautifully blotched and of strong, robust growth. They are of all shades of red, from the most delicate pink to the most brilliant crimson, maroon, blue and pale lavender, and many odd shades. Many have a distinct marginal band of a different color from the rest of the flower, and some are as elegantly spotted; others are striped, blotched, mottled and shaded, often having seven or eight colors and tints in one flower.

Price 10 cts.

Morning Glory, Double Japanese (new). These grand new varieties have the same colors and blendings as the single but most of the flowers come double. A fine new introduction.

Price 10 cts.

Marigold, Oriole (Calendula). This is surpassingly grand and brilliant. The large double flowers are rich and glowing, bright, golden yellow. Price 5 cts.

**Marigold**, El Dorado (or Dahlia flowered). The large, bushy plants, of good habit, are each a ball of brilliant colors. The flowers are globular, as perfectly double as a Dahlia, and

measuring three inches across. Everyone should plant these. Price, mixed, 5 cts.

Marigold. Finest dwarf varieties; flowers in profusion, in shades from sulphur color to dark

Marigold, Prince of Orange. Florets striped with an intense shade of orange. For effective and persistent blooming in beds and groups it has no superior, its beautiful flowers being produced from spring until late in the autumn, producing a brilliant effect.

Price 5 &s.

Mignonette, Red Goliath (new). This new giant sort comes nearer a double Mignonette than any other kind. It is without doubt one of the most magnificent of all Mignonettes, there being no other kind



DOUBLE WHITE DAISY.

which approaches it in size of the single florets or thickness of the spike. The habit is upright, the flowers are borne on stiff, stout stalks, and the rich green foliage contrasts most strikingly with the fine red of the flowers.

Price 10 cts.

Mignonette. Large flowering, fragrant varieties.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

MIGNONETTE.

Mignonette, Matchet. Of French origin, and a most desirable variety. The plants are dwarf and vigorous, of pyramidal growth, with very thick, dark green leaves. They throw up stout flower stalks, terminated by long and broad spikes of deliciously scented flowers, of a red tint.

Price 5 cts.

Mignonette, Defiance. When well grown, the spikes will grow from ten to fifteen inches long. The flowers are of a most delicious fragrance. The individual florets are of a large size and stand out boldly, forming a graceful as well as a compact spike. Has fine keeping qualities.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 35 cts.

Mignonette, Parsons' White. Flowers nearly white; a desirable variety; good fragrance. Price 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.

Mignonette. Red flowering, or shaded with red tint; fragrant-

Mignonette, Miles Spiral. Entirely distinct from the old varieties. It is a strong grower and abundant bloomer, producing spikes from eight to eleven inches in length; fragrant.

Price 10 cts.

POWNAL, VT., May 30, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: I am well pleased with the plants you have sent me.

Yours truly, W. A. HERMON.

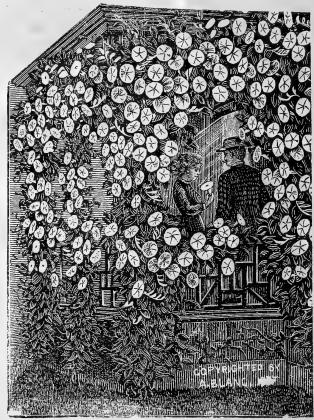
Moonflower, New Pink Hybrid. This new variety is of marvelous growth. Seed germinate very quickly and begin to bloom almost as soon as Morning Glories. The vine makes a rapid growth and covers more space than any other annual vine and producing the blooms by the thousands all summer and fall. Its foliage is dense, luxuriant and of large size, often measuring seven inches across. Blooms are of a most exquisite soft lilac pink in color. It succeeds wherever a Morning Glory will do well.

Price 10 cts.

#### NASTURTIUMS.

Nasturtium, Jupiter. "The King of Nasturtiums." "As beautiful as an Orchid," has been remarked of this magnificent flower, the precursor of a new race of giant Nasturtiums. The flowers which are very numerous measure 3½ inches in diameter and are borne on long stems. They are exquisitely formed with overlapping, crinkled petals, the color being a bright golden yellow overlaid with a glow of orange. They are produced in great numbers and have a most striking effect. Their fine color, long stems, great size and beautiful form make them very valuable for cutting. Do not fail to try this grand novelty. Price 10 cts.

**Nasturtium, Chameleon** (tall). This highly interesting new climbing variety presents a most



NEW PINK MOONFLOWER.

unusual feature, which is, that the flowers are of different colors on the same plant, and that they are variously blotched, splashed, striped and bordered with these different colors. Price 5 cts.; 02,, 20 cts.

#### PRIZE OFFER.

For the Largest Pressed Flower of Jupiter Nasturtium,

Sent us before Oct. 1, 1903, we will give

A Handsome Berry Spoon, "1847" Roger Bros. A 1 Plate, Berkshire Pattern in a satin lined box.

Nasturtium, Madame Gunter: These new Hybrids make a strong growth, climbing from five to six feet high, and are covered from spring to fall with large, substantial flowers of the most brilliant shades. They are remarkable for their wide range of colors, being also striped and blotched in the most fanciful manner. This new strain deserves a place in every garden. Price, packet, 5 &s.; oz., 15 &s.

Nasturtium, Lobb's. The leaves and flowers are somewhat smaller than the ordinary tall Nasturtium, but their greater profusion renders them superior for trellises, arbors, for hanging-over vases, rockwork, etc.; the flowers are of unusual brilliancy and richness; splendid for winter decoration, either for hanging baskets or training about windows.

Price, mixed, 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Nasturtium, Vesuvius (tall). New and quite a novelty. Flowers pink, tinted salmon, foliage very dark, splendid.

Price 5 cts.

Nasturtium, Lilliput. The plants and flowers are both smaller than those of the Dwarf Nasturtium and present a most charming appearance. The dainty little flowers are produced in abundant profusion right over the prettily veined leaves. This new mixture contains all the rich, velvety and soft color variations of the Nasturtium family, with other new shades.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

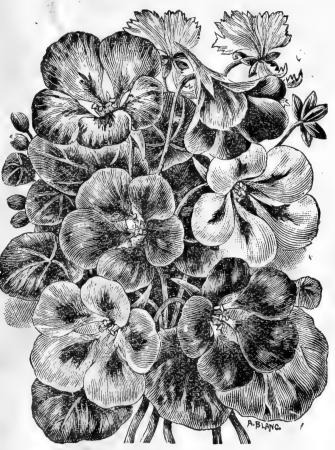
Collection Tom Thumb Nasturtium. Contains equal quantities each of the following varieties: Crystal Palace Gem, sulphur colored flowers with dark red spots near base of petals; King of Tom Thumbs, bluish green foliage, intense scarlet flower, very showy; Pearl, creamy white; Golden King, deep golden yellow flowers, dark foliage; Spotted, flowers beautifully spotted; Ruby King, pink, shaded carmine, contrasting beautifully with its dark foliage; King Theodore, bluish green foliage, flowers almost black; Atropurpureum, dark crimson; Émpress of India, splendid new dark-leaved variety, flowers crimson; Beauty, fine yellow, flushed and shaded vermillion; Ladybird, (new), the ground color of the flower is rich golden yellow, each petal barred with a broad vein of bright ruby crimson; Aurora, (new), a shade of pink, beautiful. We shall also include a few seed of new giant Nasturtium Jupiter.

Price 15 cts.

Note. We can furnish, when desired, any of above varieties in separate packets at 5 cts. per packet.

Nasturtium, Dwarf Mixed. A splendid mixture. Extra fine. Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Nasturtium. Tall or running sorts, in following sorts; Dark Crimson, Pearl, nearly white, Scarlet, Yellow, Orange, Straw Color Spotted, Scarlet Striped. All fine colors. Price, each, 5 cts.



NASTURTIUM.

Nasturtium. Tall, superb, mixed. Made up of all the foregoing separate colors and many others besides. An elegant mixture much superior to that usually sold.

Price 5 &ts.; oz., 15 &ts.

Petunia Collection Packet. This collection packet is made up of a large number of varieties from the Large Flowered Section and a large number from The Fringed Section. It includes mammoth blotched and striped varieties, extremely beautiful steel blue veined varieties, rich yellow throated varieties, green veined and bordered varieties, varieties with large tigered throats, and altogether is the richest collection ever sent out at this price.

Price 25 cts.

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 24. 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: The Petunias were the most beautiful I ever had, and I took premiums at the State Fair both on Petunias and Phlox Drummondii.

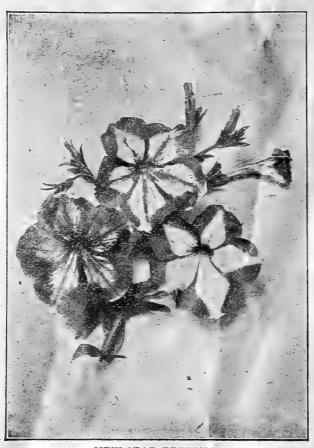
Yours, FRANCES D. JEFFERS.

#### PRIZE OFFER.

Many of the varieties in our Collection Packet Petunias are of immense size.

For the Largest Pressed Flower, mounted on cardboard, sent us
before Oct. 1, 1903, we will give

A Handsome Pearl Penholder, gold mounted, with 14 k gold pen.



NEW STAR PETUNIA.

Petunia, New Dwarf Inimitable (single). It forms a compact plant from five to eight inches high, by as much in diameter, and thickly covered with cherry-red flowers, each of which is marked by a white star. Fine bedding sort.

Price 5 cts.

Petunia. Single fine mixed, solid colors; also, striped and mottled, in a great variety of shades.

Price 5 cts.

Petunia, Fancy Double Fringed. The flowers of this magnificent strain are of immense size and exquisite colors, shades and markings; have beautifully fringed petals, making them very attractive. It is, perhaps, not generally understood that the seeds of double Petunias are only obtained by artificially fecundating single blooms with the double, making the seed necessarily high priced; and the progeny cannot be expected to come all double.

Price 50 cts. per pkt; half-size pkt. 25 cts.

Petunia, California Giant. A fine strain of the large flowering varieties in both the gorgeous and delicate shades, and many of them giants in size. Price, about 100 seeds, 25 cts.

**Petunia.** Double varieties mixed. Many come striped and blotched; about one-fourth of the plants may be expected to produce double

flowers; but the singles from these strains are also fine and desirable.

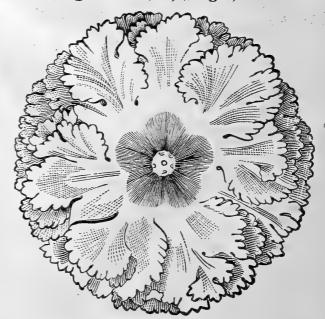
Price 25 cts.

Petunia, Howard's New Star. These handsome new varieties are the result of twenty years' work at hybridizing. They are characterized by velvety colors of the richest shades imaginable. In the center of the flowers appear a star, sometimes of a solid color and then again richly veined and mottled. These new Petunias have received the highest praise wherever they have been grown, and are the most important introduction in Petunias for some time.

Price 15 cts.; 2 packets for 25 cts.

## COLLECTION PACKET PRIMULA (Large Flowered, Single).

Golden Feather, beautiful golden yellow foliage, flowers pure white; a charming variety; Chrisata, quite dwarf, with odd, crisp mallow-like foliage, flowers semi-double, in different colors; Rubra Violacea, very showy, a grand and beautiful sort; Punctata Elegantissima, new variety, flowers velvety crimson, edges spotted with white, very distinct; Striata, a beautiful striped sort; Fern Leaf, in variety, fine; Coccinea, flowers of the largest size, of a beautiful brilliant scarlet, with a clear sulphur eye, exquisitely fringed; Globosa Alba, a splendid new and improved white variety, heavily fringed, extra fine; Globosa Kermesina Splendens, an improved, deep crimson sort, deep fringed, very bright and distinct; Globosa Carnea, new variety, very fine; Punctata Atropurpurea, a beautiful and showy variety; Pulcherrima, white, with rose or lilac center, very fine. We also include this year a few seeds each of Coerulea, handsome new shades of blue, Gigantea, new varieties producing im-Price 25 cts.



SINGLE PRIMULA.

Equal quantities of seeds each of above—twelve fringed sorts—making the most desirable packet of Primrose offered in the world, and at one-half the price asked by most seedmen for much inferior stock and a less quantity. Note.—We can supply (to those who want certain varieties of colors) any of the above Primulas in separate packets.

Price 25 cts. each.

Primula, Obconica. See description, page 30 of this Catalogue. Price 10 cts.

Primula, Chinese. Not quite as large flowers as in our collection packet, but in fine variety; very free flowering.

Price 15 cts.

Poppy, Shirley. The colors are blended in the most beautiful and showy fashion, and include almost every shade from pale rose to the most dazzling crimson-scarlet, blotched and variegated in many styles. Very much pains have been bestowed upon them by the raiser, who has been carefully selecting them for years. In choicest mixture. Single varieties.

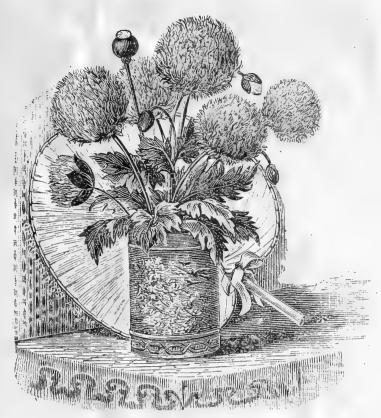
Price 5 cts.

Poppy, Dwarf Shirley (new). Charming dwarf varieties of the above, making pretty bushy little plants, about eight inches high and completely ablaze with the vari-colored flowers which have the same range of colors as taller kind.

Price 5 cts.

Poppy, Maid of the Mist. A magnificent new, single, white Poppy. The flowers are very large, petals overlapping, daintily incurved and deeply and irregularly fringed. The ovary, which is a beautiful, silvery pea green, encircled with its fringe of stamens and white fluffy petals, suggest a pretty face looking out from the mist. Very chaste and pretty. Price 5 cts.

Poppy, Miss Sherwood (new). This



POPPY, FAIRY BLUSH.

pretty new Poppy has a handsome foliage and bears in great profusion large single flowers of a shining sating white, the upper half of the corolla being a silky rose color. This is a combination of color quite virginal in its delicacy, and must be seen to be appreciated.

Poppy. Fancy Mixed. This brand contains in large packets all the kinds we advertise and many other sorts, including many odd and beautiful shades which we have procured especially for this mixture. Our customers will find it the largest variety of Poppies they have ever seen from one package. If you are a lover of Poppies try this mixture.

Poppy, Tulip. Fourteen inches high and produces large flowers of the most vivid scarlet imaginable; the color being seen even from afar, of such glowing richness as to at once remind one of scarlet tulips. Price 5 cts:

Poppy, Iceland (Papaver Nudicaule). The fragrant, elegant, crushed-satin-like flowers are produced in never ceasing succession from the beginning of June to October. Not only are they attractive in the garden, but for elegance in a cut state they are simply unsurpassed, and they last quite a week if cut as soon as open. They flower the first season from seed, though they are hardy herbaceous plants, and will with slight protection live over winter in any of the northern states.

Poppy, Fairy Blush. Few Poppies can equal this in beauty. The immense globular flowers are perfectly double, and very large; the petals are elegantly fringed and pure white, except at the tips, where they are colored rosy cream. Price 5 cts.

Poppy, The Mikado. From Japan, it is in form and character essentially a Japanese flower in its quaint, yet artistic beauty. The petals at the base are whole, while the edges are cut and fringed in most complete manner. The color is most attractive, being white at the back, while edges are a crimsonscarlet. Price 5 cts.

Poppy, Oriental. Single dark scarlet with black spots; a hardy perennial; showy; flowers of im-Price 10 cts. mense size.

Poppy, Danish Flag. Flowers brilliant scarlet, with a large silvery white blotch at the base of each petal, forming a white cross on scarlet ground. Price 10 cts.

Poppy. Carnation flowered; finest mixed; very showy.

Price 5 cts.

Poppy. Peony flowered; blooms of immense size; best mixed.

Price 5 cts.

Poppy, Snowdrift. Peony flowered; pure white.

Price 5 cts.

Platycodon Grandiflorum. A hardy perennial, producing very showy flowers during the whole season. They form large clumps and are fine for planting among shrubbery; mixed colors.

Price, mixed, 5 cts.

Platycodon Mareisi, Hardy Perennial. A very handsome new variety for garden decoration in the summer and fall. Its many branches bear numbers of beautiful, large, bell-shaped, open flowers, of a rich violet-blue. Price 10 cts.

SAXTONS RIVER, VT., May 15, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Gents: You sent me such lovely plants I cannot resist sending for more.

NRS. T. H. HUGHES. that I cannot resist sending for more.



red edge, shaded lighter red; Emperor William, ultramarine blue; Fawn Color, beautiful shade; Fire King, yellow, upper petals purple; Gold Margined, a splendid sort; Havana Brown, new shades; Lord Beaconsfield, deep violet purple, shading at top nearly white; Mahogany Color, an odd color; Meteor, bright brown; Peacock, blue with white edge; Wallflower Brown, various shades; Striped and Mottled, very odd; Striped Parisian, light mottled, new; Trimardeaux, giant varieties, mixed; Quadricolor, a fine combination of colors; Yellow Giant, large yellow, black eye; Yellow Gem, only medium size, but pure yellow, without eye; Atropurpurea, dark purple; Odier, the five blotched or stained Pansies; White with Black Eye, a good bedder; Cassier's, a fine strain in beautiful tints.

Equal quantities seeds of each of above thirty sorts.

Price 25 cts.; half size packets, 15 cts.

These collections are made up by taking equal quantities of each above thirty sorts; all are then put up into one packet and sealed. We include, also, this year, the following four new varieties: Masterpiece, a magnificent new class, with superb, rich colored blooms, and undulating, wavy petals; Bridesmaid, new, white, shining rose, beautifully blotched; Diana, new, cream-colored; Orchid Flowered, see description below.

Note.—We can furnish any of above thirty sorts separate at 10 cts. per packet.

Pansy, Bugnot's Superb Blotched. The most fancy strain in existence, magnificently blotched, stained and veined in many fancy combinations; extra.

Price 25 cts.

RUTLAND, VT., May 20, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: My Pansies that I got of you were the finest I saw here in the city. Very truly, MRS. EMMA J. BROOKS.

PETERBORO, N. H., March 22, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. I had great success with your seeds last year, especially the Asters and Pansies. I had the most beautiful Pansy bed I ever saw except at a greenhouse.

Yours, LUCY A. HARRINGTON.

#### PRIZE OFFER.

For the Largest Pansy Raised From Our Collection Packet,

Pressed and mounted on cardboard, and sent us before Oct. 1, 1903, we will give

A Set of 6 Silver Plated Nut Picks and Crack,

put up in a nice case.

Pansy, Orchid Flowered (new). This handsome new type bears giant flowers of a peculiar form, suggesting certain orchids. The upper petals are long, upright, and prettily grooved and wrinkled. The coloring is rich and varied, including many orange and terra cotta shades, and most flowers are adorned with large brown or golden yellow blotches and stripes. A handsome new type.

Price 25 cts.

Pansy, Giant. New, largest flowering mammoth Pansies in fine assortment. This mixture contains nearly all the largest flowering sorts to date. Very fine in variety of coloring.

Price 15 cts.

Pansy, Trimardeaux. Mammoth varieties, mixed; fine strain.

Price 10 cts.

Pansy, Giant Striped. New mammoth fancy Pansy in odd stripes and combinations. Price 15 cts.

Pansy, Giant White. Very large with purple eye, a grand sort.

Price 15 cts.

Pansy. Extra good, mixed; fine for bedding.

Price 10 cts.

Pansy. Good mixed; cheap, but good.

Price 5 cts.

#### COLLECTION PACKET PHLOX DRUMMONDII.

Equal quantities each of following twenty varieties of large flowering and fancy Phloxes: Alba, magnificent large white flower; Alba Oculata, white with colored eye; Atropurpurea, deep blood purple; Atropurpurea Alba Oculata, blood purple with large eye; Atropurpurea Striata, blood purple, striped; Chamois Rose, shades of light pink; Coccinea Striata, scarlet striped; Isabellina, straw color, flowers of extra size and fine form; Kermesina Splendens, vivid red, very showy; Kermesina Striata, vivid red, striped; Leopoldi, deep pink, white eye; Quadricolor Rosea, rose color, shaded; Quadricolor Violeacea, violet color, shaded; Rosea Striata, rose color, striped, very fine; Rosea Alba Oculata, rose color, white eye; Stellata, beautiful sorts with large star in center; Violacea Alba Oculata, violet, with large white eye, very fine; Brilliant, named for its bright color; Cuspidata, New Star Phlox, long points to petals, very odd; Fimbriata, new, extra fine, with toothed or fringed petals.

Price 15 cts.

Separate colors of above per packet.

Price 10 cts.

Note.—With the exception of two last fancy sorts, the above named Phloxes are all of the "Grandiflora" or large flowered sort, and it is with pride that we can send this fine collection to our customers.

Phlox, Cuspidata. Flowers with five dentated petals, the center tooth of each being elongated, the whole forming regular stars with white margin, very odd and pretty. Finest mixed colors. Price 10 cts.

Phlox, Drummondii, Grandiflora, or large flowering kinds, mixed; of very best quality.

Price 10 cts.

Phlox, Drummondii. Double. Highly esteemed for cut flowers, lasting a long time. Finest mixed.

Phlox, Drummondii. Finest mixed.

Price 5 cts.

Ricinus Zanzibarensis. New and distinct. Their gigantic leaves, two to two and one-half feet across, and the great size of the plants surpass any other known Ricinus. We offer it in mixture. One will produce light green leaves; another, coppery brown; another, brownish purple; another, with bronze leaves, all producing a rich tropical effect.

Price 10 cts.

Rose, Little Midget or Baby Roses. Charming little Roses that bloom from seed in a very short time, double and single in shades of pink, red, cream white and white. Very fragrant. A pretty little novelty.

Price 10 cts.

Sweet Peas. See page 62.



SALVIA SPLENDENS.

Salvia Splendens, Scarlet Sage. Fine for autumn decorations; growing from two to three feet high, and completely covered with brilliant scarlet flowers. Seeds should be sown early in spring, in house or hot-bed. Price 10 cts.

Salvia Splendens, Compacta. An improved form of Salvia. Price to cts.

Scabiosa, Snowball. Beautiful new white variety; extra. Price 5 cts.

Scabiosa, Aurea. Light yellow, very nice for cut flowers. Price 5 cts.

Scabiosa. Finest sorts in many colors, mixed. Price 5 cts.

Collection Packet Ten Weeks' Stock, New, Large Flowering Giant Stocks, in following twelve beautiful colors: Sulfhur Yellow, Fiery Crimson, Brick Red, Light Blue, Brown-Violet, Ash Gray, Dark Brown, Old Rose, Mauve, Purple, White, Blush. A very large per cent of these will come in extra large double flowers. We also include a few seeds of the splendid new variety, Empress Elizabeth. Color pink, very fragrant.

Price 15 cts.

LITTLE COMPTON, R. I.—Stocks raised from seed bought of you were the wonder and admiration of all beholders. The flowers were as large as small roses. MISS BESSIE A. GRAY.

Stock, Giant Perfection or White Giant. Plants of this variety attain a height of two and one-half feet and produce long spikes of double flowers, much larger than the ordinary Ten Weeks' Stock. Pure white; very fine.

Price 10 cts.

Stock, Giant Perfection. Same habits as above; fine mixed colors.

Price 10 cts.

Stock, Princess Alice, ("Cut and Come Again.") A fine perpetual blooming Stock, growing about two feet high. If sown early, it commences blooming in June and continues until destroyed by frost. Its most valuable feature is that it produces perfect flowers during September and October, when other varieties sown at the same time have faded. It throws out numerous side branches bearing clusters of very double pure white fragrant blossoms, and is excellent for cutting.

Price 10 &s.

Stock, Large Flowered, Dwarf Pyramidal. Ten weeks. Pure white; a fine low growing sort; extra large truss and floret; very fragrant.

Price 10 cts.

Stock, Large Flowered or Dwarf Pyramidal. Ten weeks. Same as above in many colors; mixed.

Price 10 cts.

Stock, Large Flowered Dwarf. Ten weeks. A fine variety for general purposes, for cutting or for show; free flowering; mixed.

Price 10 cts.

All of above Stock seed is German grown, from pot plants only, and will produce a large per cent of finest double flowers.

Price 5 cts.

Stock. Ten weeks. A fine mixture, in many colors.

Price 5 cts.

Sunflower, Cut and Come Again (new). "Only a Sunflower you say," but these improved, profuse flowering miniature Sunflowers are becoming very popular, not only for showy display in the garden, but for cut flowers. The plants form many branched pyramidal bushes, bearing from base to summit a continuous succession of flowers from June until frost, veritable pyramids of gold.

Price 10 cts.

Verbena, Mayflower (new). This was originated by Luther Burbank, who pronounces it as one of his greatest achievements. It has all the characteristics of the Mayflower or Trailing Arbutus, possessing the same lovely and delicate pink and white coloring making its flowers closely like the Arbutus, and lastly it has the same exquisite fragrance. A splendid acquisition.

Price 10 cts.

Verbena, Large Eyed. In fine mixed colors.

Verbena, Carullea. In shades of blue.

Verbena. A good grade of seed; mixed colors.

Price 10 cts.

Price 5 cts.

GARLAND, ME., Mar. 5, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: I want very much a Collection Packet of your Aster seeds. I have had them for many years and they have been the admiration of all who saw them.

Respectfully, MRS. C. A. FAWSETTE.

WILTON, N. H. June 2, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Dear Sirs: Plants and seeds came safely; was much pleased with them they were so fresh and nice. Thank you for the extras.

Very sincerely, MRS. B. M. HEALD.

Collection Packet Verbenas.

Mammoth Red, finest large sorts in shades of red; Defiance, medium size florets, fiery scarlet; Sea Foam, pure white in fine large trusses; Mammoth Pink, beautiful shades of pink, extra large trusses; Coerula, medium size florets in shades of blue; Italian Striped and Large Eyed, sorts, mixed, a grand mixture. Twenty-five seeds of each of above six varieties, one hundred and fifty seeds in all. We also include this year a few seeds of Mayflower.

Price 15 cts.

Verbena, Sea Foam (Candidissima). All that need be said of this fine Verbena is that the flowers are sweet scented; trusses large and beautiful, and borne freely at all times, and snow white, always coming true from Price 10 cts. seed.

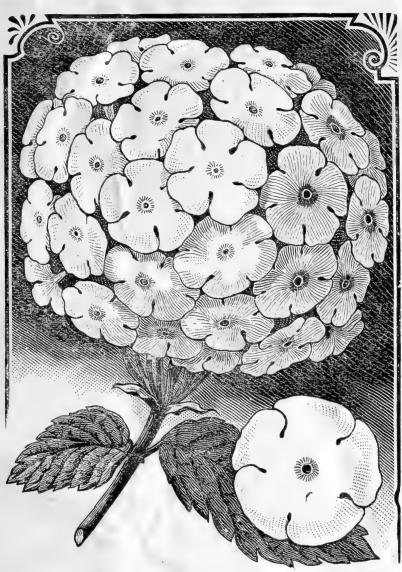
Verbena, New Mammoth. The characteristics of this new strain of Verbenas are its mammoth sized flowers, many of the single florets being as large as a twenty-five-cent piece; the plant also has the peculiarity of being more vigorous in growth than the ordinary Verbenas. The colors present the same range as the ordinary type.

Price 10 cts.

Verbena, Defiance. Splendid scarlet; quite true from seed.

Price 10 cts.

Verbena, Italian Striped. Striped and splashed varieties in many colors and variations.



VERBENA, SEA FOAM.

Price 10 cts.

MOSS VERBENA.

pink, scarlet striped and many others.

Verbena, Moss (new). This lovely variety produces a mass of mosslike foliage, spreading over the ground like a carpet, above which are borne heads of purplish blue blossoms in lavish profusion. Comes into flower in June and continues incessantly until the ground freezes.

Price to cts.

Verbena, Mixed. Finest mixed, from a large collection. This mixture includes "Sea Foam" and a splendid assortment of colors; shades of purple, Price 10 cts.

Wallflower, Deliciously fragrant garden flowers, blooming early in the spring, with long, conspicuous spikes of beautiful flowers. They should be protected in a cold frame or cellar in the winter, and planted out in May. Half-hardy perennial, finest double mixed, all colors. Price 10 cts.

Zinnia, Lilliput or Pigmy. Charming minature Zinnias growing about twelve inches high, and with flowers like double Daisies. Very showy for edgings, beds and pot culture, and fine for cut flowers. White or scarlet. Price, each 10 cts.

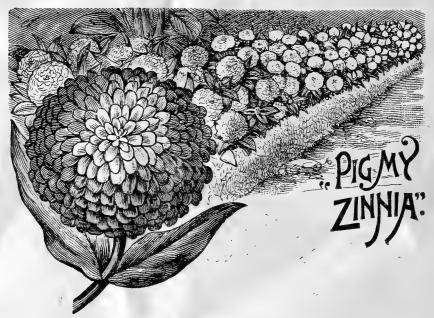
Zinnia, Large Flowering Dwarf A new dwarf section, quite distinct. The flowers are as large or larger than the old class, and of much better shape, resembling Dahlias in form, and the habit of growth is campact and dwarf, rarely growing over two feet high; mixed. Price 5 cts.

Zinnia, Giant Mammoth (mixed). A class of Zinnias, differing from the older ones in its robust habit of growth, and the immense size of the perfectly formed, very double flowers of various striking colors. The plants rise to a height of three feet, and bloom freely during a long period. The luxurious growth and the large bright flowers make it valuable for large groups.

Price 5 cts.

Zinnia, Curled and Crested. Magnificent variety of colors. From this, by preserving selection and careful culture, we have a new strain of double flowering, curled and crested Zinnias, which eclipse in beauty, beyond all question, any other types of this popular garden annual in existence. The flowers are of perfect form—large, round, full and double, the petals being twisted, curled and crested into the most fantastic contortions and graceful forms, rendering them entirely free from the stiffness which was heretofore characteristic of the family.

Price 5 &s.



LILLIPUT OR PIGMY ZINNIA.

Zinnia, Jacqueminot. Dark crimson, coming quite true from seed; very showy; fine for massed beds. Makes a fine contrast combined with white.

Price 10 &s.

Zinnia, Large Flowering Dwarf. White or scarlet.

Price 5 cts.

Wild Flower Garden Mixture. All kinds, mixed, contains nearly all the varieties we advertise, and many besides. These, if sown in one bed, will make what is called the crazy bed. Put up in large packets, and very popular where a quantity of flowers are wanted, and in the largest variety, for a little money.

Price 10 cts.

ROCHESTER, N. H., May 3, 1902.—L. P. Butler & Co. Gents: The bulbs and plants arrived in fine condition and am more than pleased with them, and thank you very much for the nice extras sent.

Yours respectfully, MISS ANNIE D. GERRISH.

#### PRIZE OFFER.

To the boy or girl 15 years old or under who sends us the largest number of different kinds of flowers, grown from our Wild Flower Garden Mixture, we will present

#### A Handsome Doll or Beautiful Pearl Handled Pen Knife.

All flowers must be pressed and mounted and sent in before Oct. 1, 1903. In case of a tie preference will be given to the neatest collection.

#### SEND US NAMES OF YOUR FRIENDS.

When you send in your seed and plant orders will you not send us the names of five or six of your friends whom you know to be interested in plants and flowers. For your trouble in doing so we will be pleased to add enough extra seeds and plants to your order to repay you. But please send only those whom you know to be interested, as we want to send catalogues only where they will do some good. If you are interested in earning some valuable premiums, with little trouble, see inside of front cover for particulars.

Other flower seeds so well known that extended description is unnecessary:

No. of the second secon	PER PKT.	PER PKT.
ABUTILON, finest mixed,	. 10	ICE PLANT,
ACACIA, finest mixed,	10	LARKSPUR, Dwarf Rocket,
ACROLINEUM, everlasting, mixed,	5	Tall Stock Flowered, elegant long spikes, 5
AGERATUM, Dwarf White,	5	LATHYRUS (Perennial Pea), equally as beautiful
Dwarf Purple,	5	as Sweet Peas, perfectly hardy, blooming
AMARANTHUS, Tricolor (Joseph's Coat) ANTIRRHINUM, (Snap Dragon), mixed,		early in spring, Purple, Dark Red and Pure White or mixed. Price either sort,
BACHELORS' BUTTON, fine mixed,		LINUM (Grandiflorum Rubrum), mixed, showy,
BALOON VINE (Cardiosperum),	5	brilliant, scarlet crimson flowers,
BALSAM, extra fine mixed,	10	Lupinus, mixed varieties,
Good Mixed,	5	LOBELIA, finest mixed,
CALLIOPSIS, mixed,	5	Speciosa, Dark Blue,
CANNA (Indian Shot), mixed, very fine,	5	LANTANA, new dwarf hybrids, fine,
New French Varieties, mixed, extra,	10	MARIGOLD, best French, tall,
CENTRANTHUS, showy annuals thriving	`	MARVEL OF PERU, mixed,
in poor sandy soils, mixed colors,	5	MAURANDIA, beautiful, rapid climber, finest
CENTAUREA (Dusty Miller), white leaved		mixed colors,
plant,	10	MIMULUS TIGRINUS, beautifully blotched and
CHRYSANTHEMUM, Anthemis Coronaris (Double Marguerites), White, Yel	- 1	spotted, mixed,
mixed. Price each,	5	MUSK PLANT, 10
CHRYSANTHEMUM FRUTESCENS, white of	- 1	MORNING GLORY, climbing sorts, mixed,
Daisy,	~ 10	oz., 10 cts.
CLARKIA, finest mixed,	5	NASTURTIUM, tall, mixed,
COBEA SCANDENS, well known climber of		Dwarf mixed,
growth, Purple or White, either color	r. 10	NICOTIANA AFFINIS, White, sweet-scented,
Cockscomb, mixed, very fine,	5	Pansy, mixed seeds of all sorts,
COCKSCOMB GLASGOW PRIZE, new, very		PETUNIA, fine mixed,
with immense crimson combs, extra,		PORTULACCA, mixed single,
Convolvulus (Morning Glory), mixed,	. 5	Finest double, mixed,
oz., 10 cts.	ا دو:	RODANTHE, 10.
Minor, the dwarf or trailing variety, Cypress Vine, scarlet,	5	RICINUS, Castor Oil Bean, mixed, oz. 20 cts., 5
White,	5	Bourbenensis, twelve feet, extra, oz. 20 cts., 10
Mixed,	5	Gibsonii, Dark Red Foliage, oz. 20 cts.,
CANTERBURY BELLS, mixed, elegant pri	ze vars. 5	SALIPGLOSSIS, large flowered varieties;
CANARY BIRD FLOWER, climber,	10	splendid, all colors mixed,
CHINESE PINK, finest mixed,	. 5	Scabiosa (Mourning Bride), mixed,
DATURA WRIGHTII, showy white an	d lilac	SENSITIVE PLANT,
flowers,	5	
DICTAMNUS FRAXINELLA, showy peren	-	Holborn Glory, new, extra large flowered
fragrant foliage,	10	
DIGITALIS, (Foxglove), Gloxinia shape ers, beautifully spotted,		
Dolichos, (Hyacinth Bean), quick g	rowing 5	
climber, White or Purple or mixed, e		
ESCHSCHOLTZIA (California Poppy), free		
ing showy annuals, fine mixed,	. 5	Verbena, mixed, fine,
FORGET-ME-NOT, White,	5	VINCA, mixed,
Blue,	5	VIOLET (English), best varieties, mixed;
Mixed,	5	seed germinates very slowly,
FEVERFEW, Double White, Grandiflora,	10	ORNAMENTAL GRASSES.
Golden Feather, pretty yellow foliage		
GILIA, showy dwarf annuals, mixed, GLOBE AMARANTH, mixed,	. 5	AGROSTIS NEBULOSA, hardy annual, one foot, 5
GERANIUMS, finest mixed,	5	Briza Maxima (Large Quaking Grass), 5
HELICHRYSUM (Everlasting Flowers),		BRIZA GRACILIS (Slender Quaking Grass), 5
mixed,	5	Bromus Brizæformis; a fine grass, 5
HELIOTROPE, fine mixed,	10	CHLORIS BARBATA; pretty and curious, 5
HUMULUS JAPONICUS, (Japanese Hop)	), quick	Coix Lachrymæ (Job's Tears), 5
growing climber, 2 varieties, variega	ted and	STIPA PENNATA (Feather Grass); hardy, 5
plain leaf. Price either sort,	5	GYNERUM ARGENTEUM (Pampas Grass), 5
		No.



Admiration. A most charming and distinct new variety of a most delicately beautiful pinkish lavender throughout. A new shade which will become very popular.

Price 5 cts.; 10 cts. per oz.

Sadie Burpee. The finest white to date. This new Sweet Pea is of the purest snow white and of the very largest size. The flowers come in threes at the summit of a stiff stem, and last well when cut.

Price 5 cts.; 10 cts. per oz.

Navy Blue. A most distinct and striking color in sweet peas. The general effect is of a rich, deep true blue, though on close examination the shade in the standards is a deep lavender-purple, suffused throughout with a faint tint of claret or wine-red, while the wings are a rich violet purple.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Stella Morse. The blossom opens with quite a suggestion of yellow—a most fascinating shade of deep cream—which becomes a little lighter as the flower grows older. About the third day it is a delicate primrose with a faint rose-pink on the edge.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Earliest of all. Identical with the "Extra Early Blanche Ferry," except that it is more dwarf in growth and comes ten days earlier.

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New Countess. Flowers are of the largest size and of a pure light lavender throughout—both on standard and wings. Nothing prettier than a bouquet of these dainty flowers. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Daybreak. In color it has a white ground and on the reverse of the standard is a crimson-scarlet cloud, which shows through in the fine veins and network, the outer margins being white. The wings should be white, but are sometimes slightly flaked with crimson.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Catherine Tracy. Its form is perfect. The color is a soft but brilliant pink of precisely the same shade in wings and standard, retaining its brilliancy to the last, burning and fading less than any other pink variety.

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Double Sweet Peas. From thirty to fifty per cent of these will come true, i. e. with extra petals. We offer as good a strain as there is.

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Aurora. Immense flowers borne three and four on a stem; the stems are extra long and strong. The color effect is gorgeous; both standard and wings are flaked and striped on a white ground, with bright orange-salmon.

Price 5 cts.; oz., to cts.

Ramona. Flowers of fine form. Its coloring is delicately beautiful; creamy white, daintily splashed and striped with pale pink.

Price 5-ets.; oz., 10 ets.

Dorothy Tennant. Flowers warm violet, very large and finely formed. Standard broad, incurved or hooded; wings very large, rounded.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Gray Friar. A most distinct pretty variety heavily shaded with watered purple markings on creamy white ground.

Price 5 cts.; oz., to cts.

Lovely. Exquisite pink; wings delicate rose; a charmingly colored, large, grand flower, profuse bloomer.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 ctts.

Mars. Bright, fiery crimson, deepening with age, a large, round, expanded standard much finer than "Scarlet Invincible."

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Lottie Eckford. Lovely flowers, borne profusely in clusters of three; both standard and wings are clear white, delicately shaded porcelain blue, distinctly margined lavender. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Captain of the Blues. One of the largest blue flowered sorts. Standard very broad and bright purple blue; wings broad, expanded, and a lighter and brighter blue than the standard One of the prettiest dark varieties which we have.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Princess of Wales. A lovely variety, shaded and stained with mauve on a white ground in a most pleasing manner.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Butterfly. White ground, laced with lavender blue.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Mrs. Gladstone. One of the most delicately shaded varieties; when opening, the blooms are buff and light pink, changing to a beautiful soft blush, darker at base of petals. Price 5 cts.; oz. 10 cts.

Miss Blanche Ferry (or Improved Painted Lady). It bears large pink and white flowers like "Painted Lady," but is much more free-flowering, and ten days earlier in blooming. The flowers have a deeper, richer coloring and greater fragrance. Earlier, more and finer flowers, and longer in bloom. We still sell more of this variety than any other one variety.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Emily Henderson. Absolutely pure white. The flowers are large, and good form. Flowers early and borne on long stems.

Price 5 ct.; oz., 10 cts.

The Senator. Standards splendidly expanded, color chocolate, shaded and striped creamy white.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Stanley. A magnificent, large flower, standards rich mahogany-brown, wings garnet-maroon. This is an improved "Boreatton."

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Monarch. Splendid large flowers; standards bronzy crimson, wings a rich, deep blue; three flowers on a stem.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Gilt Edge Mixture. Our customers desiring a large variety of the newest kinds and in the finest shades, should give this brand a trial. We have received many words of eulogy and praise in regard to this magnificent mixture. It is made up of the foregoing sorts with the following choice named varieties, and many others, are in this mixture:

Apple Blossom, Black Knight, Blanche Burpee, Blushing Beauty, Brilliant, Celestial, Coquette, Countess of Aberdeen, Duke of Clarence, Emily Eckford, Her Majesty, Meteor, Mrs. Jos. Chamberlain, Oriental, Peach Blossom, Red Riding Hood, Sensation, Juanita, Countess of Powis, Crown Jewel, Duke

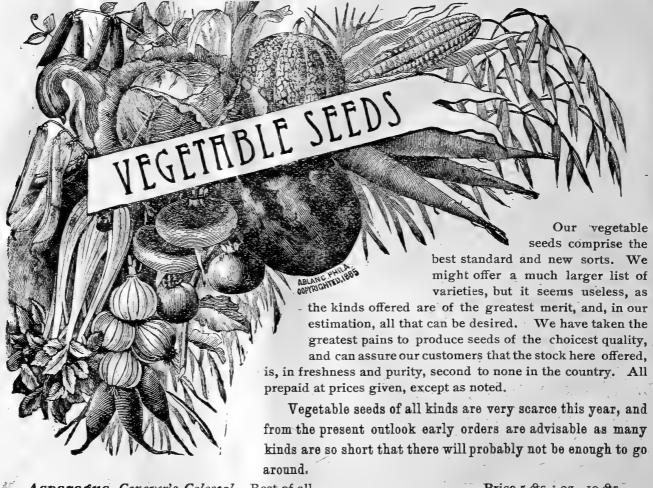
of Southerland, Golden Gleam, Gorgeous, Lady Grisel Hamilton, Mikado, Lady Nina Balfour, Maid of Honor, etc. Packet, 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts. All combining and making one of the finest assortments ever offered, and at a price no higher than many of the cheaper mixtures. Price of this mixture without discount, and in larger quantity is as follows: 1-4 lb. 25 cts.; 1-2 lb. 45 cts.; 1 lb. 75 cts.; postpaid.

The above mixture is so good and so cheap that it is the only mixture we offer, poor seed being an abomination at any price. Our sales last year were very large, and we expect to sell largely increased. quantities at the above reduced prices.

#### POPULAR COLLECTION SWEET PEAS.

One packet each, Salopian, Fascination, Snapdragon, Sadie Burpee, Navy Blue, Stella Morse, Catherine Tracy, Aurora, Gray Friar, Butterfly, Stanley, Blanche Ferry, and 1-oz. Gilt Edge Mixture,

For 50c, postpaid.



Asparagus, Conover's Colossal. Best of all.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Beet, Crimson Globe (new). This grand variety is a new Beet from England. Extremely handsome either as a second early or main crop Beet. They are very smooth, being free from fibrous roots and having only a very slender tap root. Quality of the very best, being of superb quality and remarkably sweet and tender. Flesh is a very handsome deep red, slightly zoned. Has very small tops, and altogether is a Price 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts. fine new acquisition.

Beet, Eclipse. Intense, deep blood-red, small top. Sow late for winter use, one of the best, either for winter use or for an extra early. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1 lb., 60 cts.

Beet, Dewing's Improved Blood Turnip. Fine turnip form, very symmetrical in shape, and free from any fibrous roots. Flesh deep blood-red, very tender and sweet; grows uniformly to a good size. Early, and when sown late, is desirable for winter. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1-4 lb. 15 cts.; 1 lb. 60 cts.

Beet, Swiss Chard (Silver or Sea-Kale). This variety is grown for its leaves only; the middle of the leaf is cooked and served like Asparagus; the other portions of the leaf are used like Spinach. Each year this becomes more popular as it becomes better known. Price, pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

**Beet.** Stinson. True dark red variety. Excellent for the garden, this is particularly valuable for forcing, because it produces less foliage than any other variety. The roots are smooth and regular in form; the skin a dark blood-red. The flesh is fine grained and free from woodiness, remaining in a fine condition a long time. Of a rich color, the Beets cook dark blood-red. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

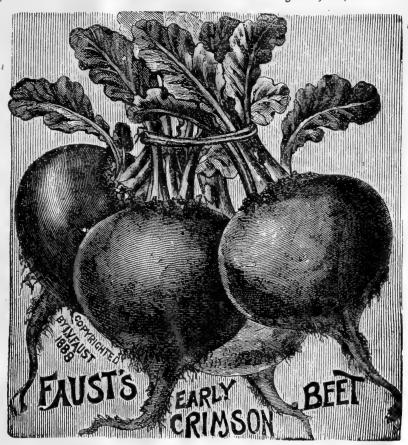
Beet, Crimson Early. This Beet is the earliest variety in cultivation, and is ready to market in six weeks from time of sowing. The tops are short and green, and the bulbs of beautiful shape. The skin is deep blood-red in color; the flesh very dark, of finest quality. As an early Beet it has no equal.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

Beet. Edmund's Early Turnip. This is the most uniformly "thoroughbred" of all Beets; with very small tops, the neat short foliage being of a bronzy red. The Beets are of a handsome round shape, very smooth. It does not grow very large and coarse as do most varieties of the Turnip Beet,

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

Beet, Crosby's Early Egyptian. Fine for summer use; turnip shape, one of the best for first early. A fine market gardeners' Beet, as it is very early, fine color and small tops. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1 lb., 70 cts.



BEET, CRIMSON EARLY.

Beet, Mangel Wurzels. For stock. The three following sorts are among the best. Norbitan Giant, improved long red, an immense yielder; Lane's Imperial Sugar, not as large as above, but very sweet; Golden Tankard, an improved yellow globe, a great yielder; Gate Post, handsome variety with orange skin and white flesh; has no sprangling roots, very small top and is a heavy cropper. Price, either sort, oz., 5 cts.; 1-4 lb., 15 cts.; lb., 40 cts., prepaid; by express, not prepaid, 30 cts. per lb.

Brussels Sprouts, Perfection. The plant grows about two feet high, and produces from the stem numerous little sprouts, one to two inches in diameter, resembling cabbage in miniature. The sprouts become very tender and of a rich flavor when touched by frost.

Price, pkt., 5 cts.

Cabbage, Danish Ballhead or Hollander. This is a new type highly esteemed for winter use by reason of the great solidity and excellent keeping qualities of the heads. The heads are nearly round in form, very hard and solid. This variety has been bringing much higher prices in open market because of this remarkable solidity of the heads. Ground should be well manured and cultivated to get the best results. Our seed is all imported from Denmark.

Price 10 &15.; oz., 35 &5.



FLAT DUTCH CABBAGE.

Cabbage, Savoy. The best of all for home use. The plants are vigorous, very sure heading, uniformly savoyed, and heads globular. Extra fine quality.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cabbage, Succession. Its earliness, uniform large size, solidity and sure heading qualities, make it a most valuable Cabbage either for private use or market. Larger than "Early Summer," and fine for a succession to the early varieties.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Cabbage, Early Winningstadt. A well known and very popular second-early variety; heads large, decidedly conical; leaves a bright, glossy green; heads very solid and hard, even in summer. This is a very sure heading variety, valuable not only for early use, but for winter Cabbage; its vigorous growth enables it to withstand unfavorable conditions, and hence very popular for general use.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cabbage, All Head. In this variety selection has been made to secure the largest early heads, with the fewest loose leaves. The deep, flat heads are solid and uniform in color, as well as in shape and size. By reason of the compact habit of growth, and absence of loose leaves, fully one thousand more heads can be obtained to the acre, than of most other varieties of same size.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.

Cabbage, Early Summer. This variety is deservedly popular with market gardeners. It forms large, solid, round, flattened, compact heads, of excellent quality. It is the most compact grower and sure header.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cabbage, Early Jersey Wakefield. The great favorite with market gardeners; the earliest, and sure to head. Our seed is true and the best.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Cabbage, Stone Mason. Very popular market variety, for fall and winter use; a sure header and long keeper.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cabbage, Premium Flat Dutch. One of the best winter sorts in cultivation; of fine quality and large size.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cabbage, Large Red Drumhead. Larger heads than the old "Red Dutch." Heads round in shape, of deep color, and remarkably hard and solid. Either for pickling or table use there is no better variety of red Cabbage.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cabbage, Autumn King. "Solid as a rock." The large, broad heads are very thick through, slightly rounded at the top; fine grained and tender—more so than any other large Cabbage. If you want first premium at fair, for largest Cabbage, try this.

Price 5 cts.; oz, 30 cts.

Carrot, Imp. Long Orange. Too well known to need description; an immense yielder; best for stock.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 90 cts.

Carrot, Chantenay (or Model Carrot). For table use, it is probably the best in shape and finest in quality of all. They are a little longer than the "Short Horn," being thicker at the shoulder, and hence more productive; always very smooth and fine in texture, and easily dug; the flesh is of a beautiful, deep golden orange; very tender.

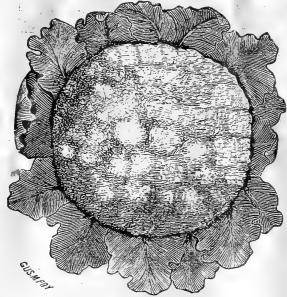
Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

Carrot, Danvers. Grown largely everywhere, on account of its great productiveness and adaptability to all classes of soil. Tops medium size; roots deep orange, large, but medium length, tapering uniformly to a blunt point, smooth and handsome; flesh, sweet, crisp, tender, and of a deep orange color. This variety, although the roots are shorter, produces as large a bulk as the older field sorts, and is easier harvested.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

Carrot, Guerande or Oxheart. This variety has given great satisfaction. While not attaining one-half the length of many other varieties, it will compare favorably in bulk of crop, as on good land it will produce Carrots four to six inches in diameter.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., \$1.00.



CAULIFLOWER EARLY SNOWBALL. but the "Golden" is one of the finest of all.

Cauliflower, Early Snowball. Probably grown more than all other varieties together. It is exceedingly early and hardy, and is one of the surest to make a solid, compact head; also more and more in favor for planting for the late summer and fall crop. We have best seed procureable, and confidently recommend it as equal to that offered by anyone.

Price 1-2 pkt., 15 cts.; 1 pkt., 25 cts.; 1-4 oz., 75 cts. Catnip. Price 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Celery, Winter Queen (new). The finest dwarf, winter Celery yet introduced. Of a rich, green coloring, it is yet easier blanched than any other green winter Celery. It grows stout, thick, heavy stalks with double the amount of heart of other varieties. It has a delicious nutty flavor, and above all is an extra good winter keeper. Everybody should try this.

Price 10 cts.

Celery, Golden Self-Bleaching and White Plume. These two fine varieties have their inner stalks bleached at all stages of growth, so that slight banking for a few days gives a perfect bleach. The "White plume" is earliest, Price, either sort, 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Celery, Pink Plume. Identical with "White Plume," but with the added merit of the stalks being exquisitely suffused with pink.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Celery, Giant Pascal. The best for winter use. The stalks are remarkably large, thick, solid and stringless. It is the largest Celery grown as regards width and thickness of stalks. When fully grown, the outer stalks are very thick, averaging two inches wide.

Price 5 cts., oz., 20 cts.

Celery, Boston Market. Dwarf white, excellent quality. One of the best for late fall and winter use.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cress, Water: One of the most appetizing, delicious flavored of small salads; it does well in very moist situations, but thrives best in shallow water on the edges of streams, where it grows most luxuriantly. It is a hardy perennial.

Price 10 cts.

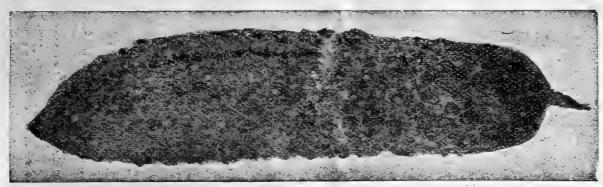
Cucumber, Long Green. Long fruit of excellent quality; dark-green, firm and crisp. This is the improved sort, fine for all purposes.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cucumber, Japanese Climbing. A very popular climbing variety, good for trellises or back yard fences, fruit handsome shape and fine quality.

Price 10 cts.

Cucumber, Horned African. A curious novelty. Fruit about four inches long by one-half inches in diameter, and covered with protruding horns. Turns a brilliant orange and yellow when ripe. Young fruit makes excellent pickles, and from this state up eaten sliced they are delicious. Price to cts.



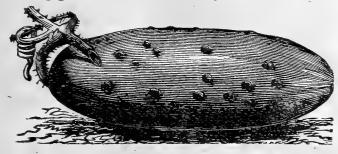
CUMBERLAND PICKLE CUCUMBER.

Cueumber, Cumberland Pickle (new). This handsome new variety is the result of eight years careful breeding by one of the leading growers in the U.S. Vine is a rapid, strong, vigorous grower, and very prolific. The fruit grows very firm, solid and crisp, and being thickly set with fine spines over the entire surface, it has a very handsome appearance. The extensive cucumber growers, C.P. Coy & Son, say, "We honestly believe this to be the best pickling cucumber ever produced." It is equally good for slicing, the flavor being very fine.

Price 10 cfs.; oz., 25 cfs.

Cucumber, Coy's Early Cyclone, (new). The earliest White Spine Cucumber. This Cucumber originated with one of the largest and most experienced cucumber growers in the world. It is not only the earliest Cucumber in cultivation, but is of a most desirable White Spine type, shorter, thicker, and holding its deep green color better than any other early Cucumber in cultivation.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.



NICHOLS MEDIUM GREEN.

Cucumber, Nichol's Medium Green. We consider this most valuable as a pickle sort, and for early forcing purposes or for slicing there is no better variety. It is exceedingly productive, of medium size, and always straight and smooth. Color dark green, the flesh tender and crisp.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cucumber, Imp. White Spine. One of the most popular either for slicing or for pickles; abundant bearer of fine quality. We have an extra nice strain.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cucumber, Emerald. This beautiful new Cucumber is a seedling of the "White Spine," and retains all the good points of its parent, with the addition of a rich, dark-green skin, entirely free from spines. It is strictly an evergreen, retaining its color until fully ripe. The long, straight, handsome fruits are produced early and abundantly.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Cucumber, Cool and Crisp. The earliest and most productive of all pickling Cucumbers. At the pickling stage they are straight, long, even and slim, and until fully grown are of a dark-green color. One of the best pickling varieties, also excellent for slicing.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Dandelion. Large leaf, new French sort, double the size of common variety. Sown in spring or summer, fit to cut following spring.

Price 5 cts,; oz., 50 cts.

Egg Plant, New York Spineless. Fruit of largest size, and quite free from spines; of splendid quality.

Price 10 cts.

Fennel, . The leaves boiled, enter into many fish sauces.

Price 5 cts.

Gourds (mixed or ornamental). This mixture contains the following sorts: Gooseberry, Club, Nest Egg, Lemon, Bottle, Onion, Orange, Pear, Serpent, Sugar Trough, Dipper and Dishcloth,

Price, separate or mixed, 10 cts.

Kale, German Dwarf Curled. Sown in spring for summer use, and in fall for spring. A very hardy variety. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Lavender, Lavendula Vera. An'aromatic, medical herb.

Price 5 cts.

Lettuce, Iceberg. The large, curly leaves which cover the outside of the solid heads are of a bright, light green, with reddish tinge on the edges.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Lettuce, Deacon. The heads are very solid and of excellent flavor, and remain in condition for use as long as any variety in cultivation. Plant medium size, with very few outer leaves; one of the best varieties for summer use.

Price 5 &s.; oz., 15 &s.

Lettuce, Mignonette. A small, sturdy, russet-colored Lettuce, distinct and unique, and of great value. The entire plant measures only seven inches in diameter, and is more solid and compact than any existing

variety. The outer leaves are few, and these cling so closely to the head that it is almost all head. The leaves are richly colored with russet-red and bronze-green of varying shades. Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.



GOURDS.

Lettuce, Perpetual. Our customers will be especially pleased with this variety for a summer Let\_ tuce, as it is of the finest quality and remains for a long season tender and crisp; unexcelled as a long standing sort, combining tenderness, beauty and delicate flavor. Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Lettuce, Prize Head. An early sort, deep green, so washed with red as often to appear more red than green; forming a head of a dense mass of leaves rather than one like a cabbage, and very slow to run to seed; leaves large, nearly round, frilled at the edge, and densely blistered, and are exceedingly crisp, tender and good flavored, and are not bitter as early as other varieties. Price 5 cts,; oz., 15 cts.

Lettuce, Black Seeded Tennis Ball. Early hard head; few outside leaves; grown largely under glass and early for gardens. Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Lettuce, Hanson. Improved Hard Heading Stock. Heads green outside and white within; grows to a remarkable size, very solid, and is refreshingly sweet, crisp and tender. It withstands the hot sun. Most of the heads are so solid that they do not send up any seed stalks unless cut open with a knife. A very popular variety. Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Lettuce, Boston Curled. Ornamental; fair quality.

Lettuce. Above eight varieties mixed. A fine variety for a small amount of money. You can get early, medium and late in one package. Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Note.—We call attention to our fine varieties of Lettuce; in growing, give good soil and plenty of room, small kinds six to eight inches, and larger sorts ten to twelve inches apart.

Mustard, White. Used for salads and greens.

Price 5 cts. oz., 10 cts.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Mustard, Chinese. Leaves twice the size of the ordinary white Mustard; stems more succulent; flavor pleasantly sweet and pungent. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Marjoram, Sweet. For seasoning.

MUSK MELON, NETTED GEM,

Price 5 cts. Musk Melon, Netted Gem (Rocky Ford). The best, early, small, green-fleshed Melon known today. Shape is almost a perfect globe, weighing from one and a quarter to one and a half pounds each. They are thick meated, the flesh is light green in color, and uniformly of fine, luscious flavor; skin green, regularly ribbed and thickly netted. Very prolific and extra Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts. early in ripening.

Musk Melon, Emerald Gem. All who have grown it unite in pronouncing it unequalled in rich, delicious flavor. The skin, while ribbed, is smooth and of a very deep emerald green color. The flesh, which is thicker than in any other Melon of its size, is of a suffused salmon color, and ripens thoroughly to the extremely thin green rind; luscious beyond description; unapproached in delicious flavor. The Melons mature extremely early; of superb quality. Should be grown by everyone. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Musk Melon, Paul Rose (or Petosky). A cross of the "Osage" with the "Netted Gem." possesses the fine netting of the "Gem," and averages, about the same size, but owing to the great thickness of its beautiful salmon-colored flesh will weigh at least one-third more than a "Netted Gem" of the same size. One of the best of the salmon fleshed varieties. Price 5 cts.

Water Melon, Cole's Early. This is one of the finest early Water Melons; of medium size, and it is so early that it matures in every state; very hardy; the flesh is deep red in color, clear to the rind, and is most sweet and delicate in flavor. It is exceedingly brittle, and hence cannot be shipped to distant markets, but is most desirable for the home garden. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1-4 lb., 25 cts.

Water Melon, Mountain Sweet. Fruit oblong, dark green; rind thin; flesh red, solid and sweet. One of the earliest large Melons.

Price 5 cts., oz., 10 cts.

Water Melon, Phinney's Early. Flesh deep red, of very superior quality; early and productive. One of the best extra early Melons.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.



WATER MELON, COLE'S EARLY.

Okra, Dwarf Prolific. A very fine new variety, much dwarfer than the ordinary dwarf Okra, and much more productive; short thick pods. Very palatable when stewed and served as is a dish of Asparagus. So delicious is the flavor that when once used it will be grown every year. Price 5 cts.; oz, 10 cts.

Onion. Australian Brown (new). Is of medium size, wonderfully hard and solid, extremely early in ripening, and never makes any stiff-necks or scallions. Every seed seems to produce a good-sized Onion, and the bulb forms very quickly. The skin is a clear amber-brown. Price 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Onion, Wethersfield Large Red. One of the best; all our stock is extra selected, and of the very best quality.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.; lb., prepaid, \$1.20.

Onion, Early Red Globe. Earliest of all.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Onion, Prize-Taker. This variety grows to an immense size, measuring from twelve to eighteen inches in circumference under good culture. It is of handsome globe shape, and flesh is mild and delicate in flavor.

Price 5 &s.; oz., 15 &s.; 1-4 lb., 40 &s.

Onion, Early White Queen. The bulbs are a pure white, growing about an inch in thickness and very mild and delicate in flavor. Used very largely for pickling.

Price 5 cts., oz., 20 cts.

Onion, Globe Yellow Danvers (selected strain). This variety is now the standard medium yellow Onion of our markets the country over. Our strain of this sort is unsurpassed. It is early, large and a very heavy yielder. It has a very small neck and is an excellent keeper.

Price, 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1-4 lb., 30 cts.; lb. postpaid, \$1.00.

Pumpkin. Com. Field. Fine for stock, a heavy cropper. Price, oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb. 20 cts.; lb. 50 cts.

Pumpkin, Quaker Pie. A very prolific sort having fruits of medium size, but quality sweet, sugary and fine grained.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Parsley, Double Curled. Very nice. Price 5 cts.

Parsley, Moss Curled. The leaves are beautifully curled or crimpled, and of a peculiar, extra dark green color. It is very productive, and from the densely-curled character of its leaves, green seasoning or garnishing can be prepared in much less time than open-leaved varieties. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Parsnip, Guernsey. A half long variety; fine quality.

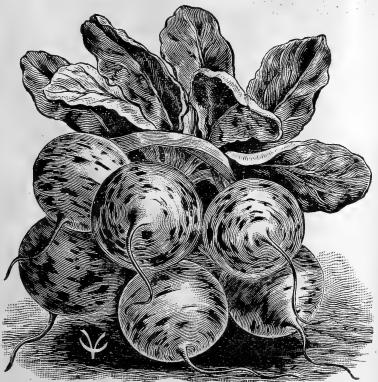
Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Parsnip, Hollow Crowned. Best variety; long, smooth, white. The great market sort, Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

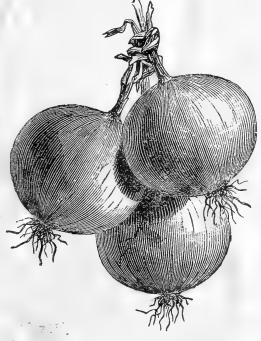
Pepper, Bell, Squash and Cayenne.

Price, each, 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Pepper Grass, Extra Curled. Best variety.



TRIUMPH RADISH.



ONION, GLOBE YELLOW DANVERS.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Radish, Triumph (new). This is very early, being a "Twenty Day" Radish. Shape almost round, with very short tops, making it valuable for cultivation under glass. Flesh is crisp, solid and of mild flavor. The color is very attractive being pure white, striped and splashed with bright scarlet. Makes a very attractive contrast when bunched with other colors for market.

Price 10 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Radish, French Breakfast. A great favorite, bright scarlet with pure white tip, oval in shape. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Radish, Early Long Scarlet. Tender variety; fine flavor and crisp. One of the best for market or home use.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Radish, Early Round Dark Red. Of very deep, dark red skin; beautiful shape, and extra early. This is the best strain of Extra Early Scarlet Turnip Radish in cultivation; extra fine quality; always crisp.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Radish, Scarlet Turnip, White Tipped.

A small, round turnip-shaped Radish, of

bright scarlet, tipped with pure white. Ready to pull twenty days after sowing. Price 5 cts.; oz , 10 cts.

Radish, Non Plus Ultra. The earliest of all, being fit for use in about twenty days. Brilliant red in color, much used by market gardeners. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1/4 lb. 30 cts.

Radish, Golden Dresden. A round Radish with beautiful golden brown skin. Flesh white, crisp and of extremely fine flavor. Very early and an extra fine variety. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Radish, Long White Vienna. This new Radish is the finest Long White Radish in cultivation. It is the most beautiful in shape, white in color; both skin and flesh are pure snow white; crisp, brittle and of rapid growth. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Radish, Wood's Early Frame. Not quite so long as the "Long Scarlet," and with smaller top; it is quite ten days earlier in the open ground, while from its exceedingly small top it is most excellent for Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Salsify, New Mammoth. Extra large, averaging fully double the size and weight of roots of the old variety. The roots are of superior quality. Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.

Spinach. For greens.

Sage and Summer Savory.

Squash, Summer Crookneck. Best summer sort.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts. Squash, Hubbard. Well known winter sorts. More of this variety grown than of all other winter squashes combined. Ours is a very fine strain. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1-4 lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.20.

ESSEX HYBRID SQUASH.

Squash, Essex Hybrid. Early, yet a long keeper; flesh dry, thick and sweet, better than "Turban;" a standard variety. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1-4 lb., 15 cts.

Price, each, 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.

Squash, Faxon (or the Squash of many colors). The fixed characteristics are earliness, long keeping, uniformity of shape, variety of colors, and the excelling in richness, sweetness and flavor. Even when not fully ripe it is of excellent quality as a summer Squash. It is a good keeper, and has the exceptional recommendation of being a table delicacy through three seasonssummer, fall and winter. Unexcelled for sweetness and dryness.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 90 cts.

Squash, Dunlap's Early Prolific Marrow. The standard early of the running varieties. No variety can compete with it for earliness, it being about twelve days ahead of the "Boston Marrow," and for this reason can be planted a week later than any other kind. Its color is most attractive, a brilliant orange-red. Quality excellent when mature. A good keeper.

Price 5, cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1-4 lb., 30 cts.; lb., 90 cts.

Squash, Golden Bronze (new). In form the same as "Boston Marrow," with stem and blossom end precisely like that variety, also having the same peculiar wrinkled appearance of the skin. Size, averaging from eight to ten pounds; color, a dark, grayish-green with bronze on upper surface when ripe; flesh, an exceedingly bright golden yellow; fine grained, very sweet, and of delicious flavor. Early in maturing, a Price 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts. good keeper and yielder. Squashes of very uniform size and appearance.

Squash, Golden Hubbard. Identical in size, form and fruitfulness, as the "Warted Hubbard." The heavily warted skin is a rich orange yellow turning to a deep salmon red when ripened. Of most attractive appearance and equally as productive and prolific as the original Hubbard, a variety which makes a Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1-4 lb., 35 cts., lb., \$1.20. very handsome attractive appearance.

Squash, New Giant Summer Crookneck. This new strain is even earlier than the common variety, while the Squashes grow to an extra large size, measuring from eighteen inches to two feet long, and of Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts. finest quality.

Squash, Bush Scallop. Best early of the scalloped sorts. Quality not considered equal to the Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts. "Summer Crookneck,"

Squash, Warted Hubbard. Same as "Hubbard," except warty knobs all over it. Quality the best. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; 1-4 lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25. Many prefer it to "Hubbard" for market.

Tomato, Earliana. This is the earliest large Tomato ever introduced. In our trials with this last year, we found it an enormous yielder of large, smooth, solid, bright red fruits of most excellent flavor. This sort will be one of the most profitable sorts for the market gardener as well as the private planter, being the earliest smooth bright red Tomato of good size now in cultivation. Price 10 cts.; 1-4 oz., 25 cts.

Tomato, Quarter Century. Similar to "Dwarf Champion" in dwarf, erect growth, but greatly surpasses that variety in prolificness as well as size, solidity and quality of fruit. Color is a bright red. Its very compact, sturdy growth, extreme prolificness and earliness will make it a favorite with everybody. Price 10 cts.; 1-4 oz., 20 cts.

Tomato, Early Bird. Extremely early, and a great yielder. Of great earliness, fine size, smooth, Price 5 cts. firm, beautiful bright skin and wonderfully productive.

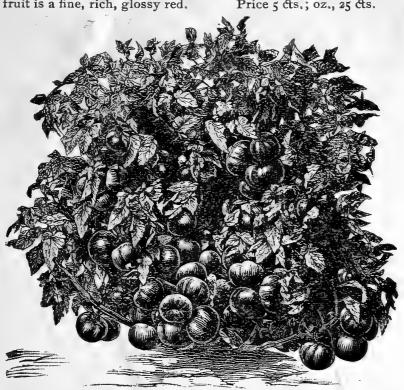
Tomato, The Aristocrat. An excellent new sort, resembling in habit of growth and foliage the "Dwarf Champion," but the color of the fruit is a fine, rich, glossy red. Price 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Tomato, Dwarf Champion. One of the most valuable sorts. It is entirely distinct in habit of growth and foliage from any other sort. It is dwarf and compact in habit, the plant growing stiff and upright, with very thick and short-jointed stems. Always smooth and attractive in appearance; flesh solid and ripens well.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Tomato, Matchless (Improved Trophy). The fruits are of the largest size, and the size of the fruit is maintained throughout the season, the healthy growth of foliage continuing until killed by frost. No other Tomato will produce extra large fruits, so smooth, handsome and marketable. The skin is remarkably tough and solid, ripe specimens picked from the vine will keep in good marketable condition for two weeks. A great favorite for market and family use.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 30 cts.



ARISTOCRAT TOMATO.

Tomato, Perfection. Fine smooth variety, very prolific and productive. Price 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts. Tomato, Yellow Plum. Small yellow plum-shaped variety; very early.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

Turnip, Purple Top White Globe. An early variety, globe-shaped; heavy cropper, in other respects similar to the "Red Top Strap Leaf." A handsome looking bulb, and is rapidly taking the lead of all other varieties of early Turnips for market garden purposes.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

Turnip. White Egg. Its shape is nearly oval or egg; flesh very firm and fine grained, thin and perfectly smooth skin; both flesh and skin are of snowy whiteness. Its flavor is of the best. One of our most popular varieties for market or table use.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 55 cts.



R. I. ROCK TURNIP.

Turnip, Rhode Island Rock (new). In this new Turnip we have a great improvement made on the White French Turnip, after years of selection by a R. I. market gardener. It is fully three weeks earlier than any other Turnip of its class. It is very hard and solid, flesh pure white, fine grained, brittle and sweet. Its crowning point however is its wonderful keeping qualities, excelling all other Turnips in this respect.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Turnip, Scarlet Kashmyr. As early as the earliest known sort; most distinct in appearance, small, rarely exceeding three inches in diameter. The outer color of the root is unique, being a rich scarlet, verging on crimson; the interior color is pure sparkling white.

· Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Turnip, Burpee's Bread-stone. This new Turnip is of medium size, very quick growing, and the roots are very smooth and white with a faint green top. The flesh is perfectly white, fine grained, remarkably tender, very sweet; extra fine Turnip for winter and spring use.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Turnip, Sweet German. The well known winter variety. Very sweet; extra for table use. The leading sort for winter. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 55 cts.

Turnip, Laing's Swede. Quick growing; good for table or for stock; yellowish flesh.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 55 cts.

Turnip, Budlong (new). An improved variety of the American White Ruta-baga, having been bred up to present form by years of selection by an experienced market gardener. It is earlier, rounder and smoother than any other Ruta-baga and of good size.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

Turnip, White Milan. It grows with wonderful rapidity, and is the earliest White Turnip in cultivation. Splendid quality, and most attractive with white skin and flesh.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Turnip, Golden Ball (or Orange Jelly). The flesh of fine texture, making it one of the best table varieties. Beautiful color. The bulb is of medium size, with small root, early. Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

Turnip, Yellow Stone. One of the best and most popular yellow-fleshed varieties for table use; equally good for feeding stock.

Price 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 60 cts.

Turnip, Strap Leaf. "Red Top" or "White Top," well known early sorts; largely grown.

Price, either sort, 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.; lb., 50 cts.

Thyme, Thymus Vulgaris. The leaves and young shoots are used for seasoning; a tea is also made for nervous headache.

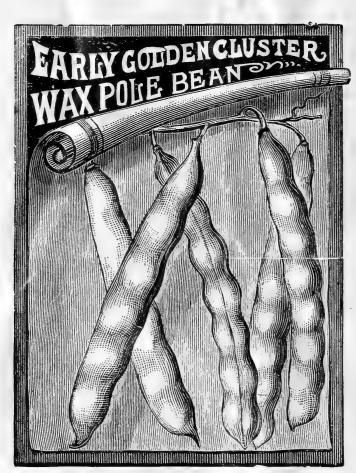
Price per pkt., 10 cts.

Wormwood, Artemisia Absinthium. Used medicinally, and is beneficial for poultry.

Price per pkt., 5 cts.

All seeds by the pound ordered by express, deduct 8 cts. per lb.

## BEANS (Pole).



Extra Early Golden Cluster Wax. Long, golden-yellow pods, borne in clusters; extra early, stringless, snaps very easily, vigorous, prolific, popular; quality tender, delicious. It is unequalled for earliness, productiveness and fine quality. The pods are almost round, entire stringless, remarkably rich, tender and buttery when cooked; of the best possible flavor. The pods are fit to use when only two or three inches long; keep their fine, tender, rich and buttery qualities until fully ripe. The most productive Bean in cultivation.

Price, 10 cts.; pint 30 cts. postpaid.

Worcester Horticultural Pole. This is a big improvement over the old standard "Horticultural." The pods are extra large, and of a most brilliant carmine color, thus making them very attractive for market. Both pods and Beans are much larger than the ordinary sort, and produced in great profusion.

Price, pkt. 10 cts.; pirt, 30 cts. postpaid.

Horticultural Pole or Pole Cranberry. Standard sort. Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.

White Case-Knife. Early pole Bean, with pods very long, flat, irregular, green, changing to cream white, useful both as a shell and string Bean.

Price, pkt., 10 cts; pint, 25 cts.

King of Garden. Large, pole Limas; a grand Bean, but rather late for northern gardens.

Price 10 cts.; pint 25 cts.

Quarts of above varieties double price of pints. If by express, deduct 15 ets. per quart.

## BEANS (Bush).

Write us for quotations on larger quantities than quarts.

Stringless Green Pod. This splendid new Bean combines in itself these exceptional merits, viz: Unusual hardiness, extreme earliness, wonderful productiveness, handsome appearance and fine quality. Pods are rich green, very round and straight, solidly meaty and broad, very tender, brittle, and of the finest flavor, always entirely stringless even when fully matured.

Price pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts. postpaid.

Saddle-Back Wax. Unequalled by any other Wax Bean in cultivation. The growth of the bush is vigorous. It is a profuse bearer, the plants in ordinary field culture bearing usually from twenty-five to forty pods each. The pods are long, round, very full of meat. When broken between the beans there is no open space—the pods being filled with meat. Unequalled in quality, with handsome, fleshy pods, as thick as they are wide, and always absolutely stringless. Price, pkt. 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts. postpaid.

Golden Wax. A strong growing, distinct variety, at least a week earlier than the "Black Wax." The pods are long, brittle, and entirely stringless. As a snap Bean it perhaps excels all others in tenderness and richness of flavor. The finest of all as a string Bean. Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts. postpaid.

Rust Proof Golden Wax. This variety excels all others in its comparative freedom from rust. The straight handsome pods are very thick meated, and fine quality. Very popular with every one who has tried it.

Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts. postpaid.

Dwarf Horticultural or Bush Cranberry. One of the finest bush varieties for a green shell Bean.

Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.

Carmine Podded Dwarf Horticultural. This is an earlier bean than the old standard variety. The pods are a bright rich red in color, making it very desirable for market. Quality is of the best.

Price pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts. postpaid.

Long Yellow Six Weeks (Bush). Early, very productive and of excellent quality. Pods are often eight inches long. Seeds when ripe, yellow or dun color. Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint 25 cts. postpaid.

Henderson's Bush Lima. Fit to use from two to three weeks earlier than any other variety of the climbing or Bush Limas. It grows about eighteen inches high, and produces immense crops of delicious Lima Beans, continuing to bear until cut down by frost. Price pkt.; pint, 25 cts. postpaid.

Burpee's Bush Lima. The only bush form of the true, delicious, large Lima. Of splendidly vigorous, upright, bushy habit of growth, great uniformity and trueness to type, and always bearing the delicious large Lima Beans in great abundance. This requires the same season for growth as the large pole Lima, and can be grown only where that variety succeeds. Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts. postpaid.

Quarts of above varieties double price of pints. If by express deduct 15 cts. per quart.

#### PEAS.

Prepaid at prices given. Packages are of good size, containing two and one-half ounces.

Gradus (or Prosperity). The earliest large podded Pea in cultivation, while the Peas are of most superior quality, both in size and delicious flavor. The vine has heavy stems, with large, dark green leaves, and grows about three feet in height. It produces uniformly large pods, measuring four inches long, nearly round, and well filled with large, handsome peas. The peas remain edible—tender and sweet—for some time. One of the best introductions of late years, and is splendid for the family garden, as well as the market, being of the most superb quality. Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 35 cts.; quart, 65 cts.

American Wonder. The earliest of all wrinkled Peas. Of dwarf habit, growing from nine to twelve inches high, and producing a profusion of good sized and well filled pods of the finest flavor. One of the most popular sorts.

Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 50 cts.

**Premium Gem** (Improved McLean's Little Gem). A valuable variety, growing about fifteen inches high, and among the earliest dwarf, green, wrinkled sorts. The quality is unsurpassed; the most remarkable characteristic is its wonderful prolificness.

Price 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid.

Nott's Excelsior. One of the best of recent introduction; an improvement on "American Wonder," being more vigorous and prolific, with larger pods and more peas. Sure to become popular when generally known; height, one foot.

Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 30 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid.

Yorkshire Hero. Long, round pods, closely filled with large, lucious, wrinkled peas; very productive. Well worthy of general cultivation; of similar type to the well known "Champion of England;" in many sections it is better and more productive. Price, 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid.

Champion of England. Undoubtedly one of the best Peas grown and very popular. It is very productive, peas of a delicious flavor; height, four to five feet.

Price 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid.

**Dwarf Champion.** A very popular sort. Similar in every respect to "Champion of England," except it grows only half as high.

Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 50 cts., postpaid.

Large Black Eye Marrowfat. An excellent variety, growing about five feet high; pods large; a prolific bearer.

Price, pkt., 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 35 cts., postpaid.

**Sunol.** An extremely early variety, producing good sized pods in the greatest profusion. Peas are splendid flavor for so early a sort, and is decidedly the most profitable of all the early sorts. Grows medium height.

Price 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid.

First of All. A very early market sort; height about two and one-half feet. "Sunol" is an improvement on this variety.

Price 10 cts.; pint, 25 cts.; quart, 40 cts., postpaid.

Telephone. An immensely productive Pea of the finest quality, Pods are very large in size, containing six to seven peas closely packed, which are of a delicious flavor. Height about four feet, a very popular variety.

Price 10 cts.; per pint, 25 cts., postpaid.

If by express, not prepaid, 15 ct. per quart may be deducted from the above prices. Special prices given to buyers in quantities of one-half peck or more of a kind.





First-Crop. Superior to all other very early sorts, larger, earlier and very much sweeter; of dwarf habit, kernels white; ears eight-rowed and of good size. The sweetest sort for first crop. "First-Crop" is the best very early Corn we have ever grown.

Country Gentlemen. The finest of all sweet Corns, retaining its delicate tenderness and flavor even when a little old. For private family use, where quality is of the first consideration, it has no equal. The ears of good size, and are produced in great abundance, the average is three ears to a stalk, great depth to the kernels, which are of pearly whiteness. But the great merit is its delicious quality.

Cory. A standard extra early sort; good for home use and extra for market. Early Shaker. Fine to follow "Cory;" very sweet; good for home or market.

Black Mexican. Medium early; good to follow "Shaker;" one of the sweetest.

Evergreen. The best late sort; large sweet and fine.

**Squantum.** One of the sweetest varieties, and is largely used for market and canning. It is a general favorite, and is wonderfully productive. The variety used almost exclusively at the famous Rhode Island clambakes, which is sufficient evidence of its quality. Medium to late.

Crosby's Early. Early and a great favorite. Rather small ears, but productive and of excellent quality. A favorite for family use.

Metropolitan. This new variety is only about two days later than Cory. A very strong grower, growing about-five and one-half feet high, the ears being set low and producing from two to three to a plant. They are uniformly nine CROSBY'S EARLY CORN. inches long, ten to twelve rowed, well filled to the tips, with large deep grains

which are of splendid quality. Practically free from smut, and with a strong thick husk.

Price, corn, large packets, 10 cts.; pint, 20 cts.; quart, 40 cts.; prepaid. By express (not prepaid), pint, 10 cts.; quart, 20 cts.

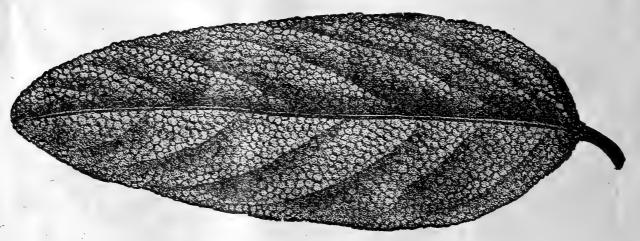
### ENSILAGE CORN.

Leaming. Very tall and leafy, maturing its very large ears. Excellent sort for the silo.

Sanford. Stalks extra large and numerous. Planted extensively for the silo.

Price, either sort, by express or freight, 60 cts. per peck, \$1.75 per bushel.

## VEGETABLE PLANTS AND ROOTS.



Holt's Mammoth Sage. Plants of strong growth on rich ground, often attaining a diameter of three feet the first season; leaves, which are of immense size, are borne on strong stems; in quality it is of unusual substance and of strong flavor. Give it rich, good culture, and you will be astonished at the large quantity of superior sage which can be cut from a single plant. It rarely flowers, and has never seeded in our climate. No seed to offer.

Price, plants, 10 cts.; three for 25 cts.

Tomato Plants. Earliana, Early Bird, Champion, Perfection, Aristocrat, Matchless, Quarter Century, Yellow Plum. Price, pot plants, 6 cts.; 60 cts. per doz. Hot-bed plants, 35 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.

Pepper Plants.
Cauliflower Plants, Early Snowball.

Price 3 cts.; 30 cts. per doz.-Price, doz.; 20 cts.; 100 \$1.50.

Celery, Winter Queen, White Plume, Golden Self-Bleaching, Boston Market, Giant Pascal. Transplanted plants. Price, doz., 15 cts.; 100, 75 cts.

Asparagus Roots, Columbian Mammoth White, Conover's Colossal and Barr's Mammoth. Fine 2-year roots.

Price, 100 \$1.00; 1,000, \$6.00. By express only.

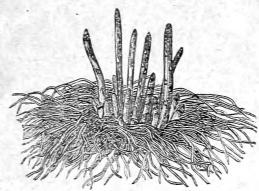
Cabbage Plants. Early plants before June 10.

Price, doz., 15 cts.; 100, \$1.00.

Cabbage Plants, Danish Ball Head, Succession, Stone Mason, Winningstadt, Premium Flat Dutch, All-Head, Savoy. Field grown after June 15.

Price, doz., 10 cts.; 100, 30 cts.; 1.000, \$2.00.

Rhubarb, Monarch. Those who have been accustomed to the ordinary Rhubarb will be surprised at the extraordinary size, tenderness and juiciness of this new variety. Give it good, rich treatment and you will have Rhubarb the envy and admiration of your neighbors, Price 25 cts.

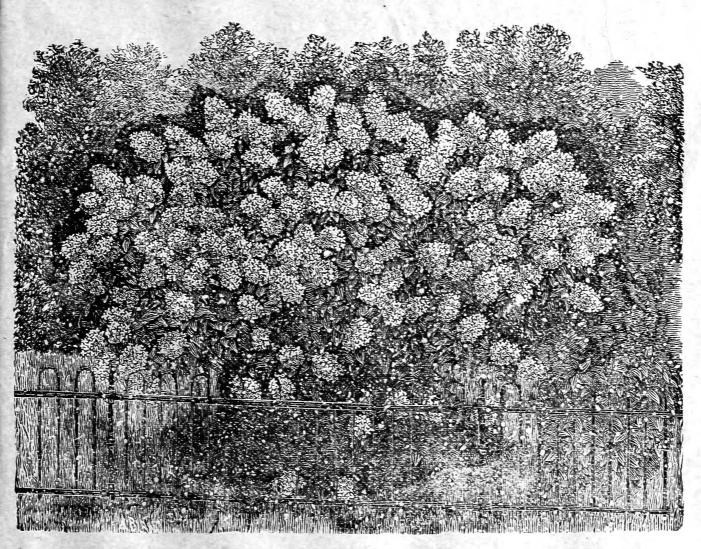


ASPARAGUS ROOTS

Rhubarb, Seedlings from Monarch. Most of these come true to the type.

Price 20 cts., 2 for 35 cts.

## HARDY SHRUBS.



HYDRANGEA, PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.

Hydrangea, Paniculata Grandiflora. One of the finest hardy shrubs in cultivation; the flowers are formed in large white panicles or trusses nine inches in length. The shrub grows to a height and breadth of three or four feet, and as the flowers slightly droop, few plants have the grace and beauty presented by this magnificent shrub. Perfectly hardy in all parts of the country; needs no protection of any kind. It should have all weak wood cut away each fall, and be well manured each season. Price, extra strong, 1-year field grown plants, 20 cts.; extra strong, 2-year field grown plants, 50 cts.; extra strong, 3. year field grown plants, 75 cts.; 4-year, bush shape, \$1.25. Fine standard tree shaped, \$1.00. All of above will bloom first year. The 3-year plants are extra fine, well branched, two to three feet high; all have extra good roots. The two, three and four-year plants should go by express.

Lilac, Md. Lemoine. Double white florets like miniature tuberoses, truss very large and compact. A most beautiful novelty.

Price 50 cts.

Lilac. The common single white variety.

Price 35 cts.

**Snowball,** Japan. A great improvement over the common variety, with remarkably healthy darkfoliage. Grows erectly and compactly four to six feet high, being covered from top to bottom with the balls of flowers as white as snow, clustered one against the other in dense masses.

Price 50 cts.

Syringa, Grandiflora. Much larger flowers than the common sweet scented. Price 35 cts.

Syringa, Golden Leaved. Golden yellow foliage, color being deepest and most glowing in August. Flowers same as above variety.

Price 35 cts.

Syringa, Double Flowered. Beautiful large double flowers of pure white.

Price 35 cts.

Deutzia, Pride of Rochester. The finest pure double white.

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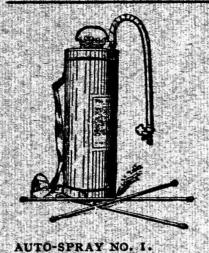
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